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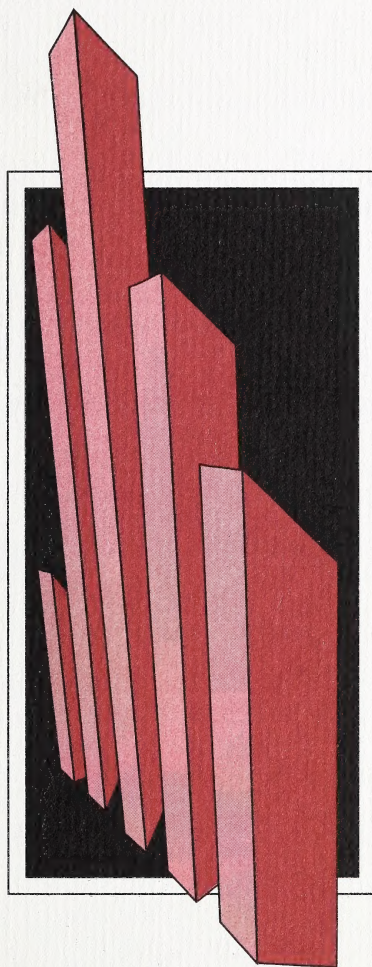
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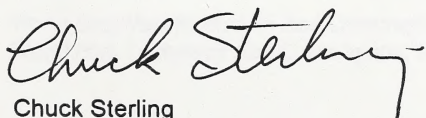
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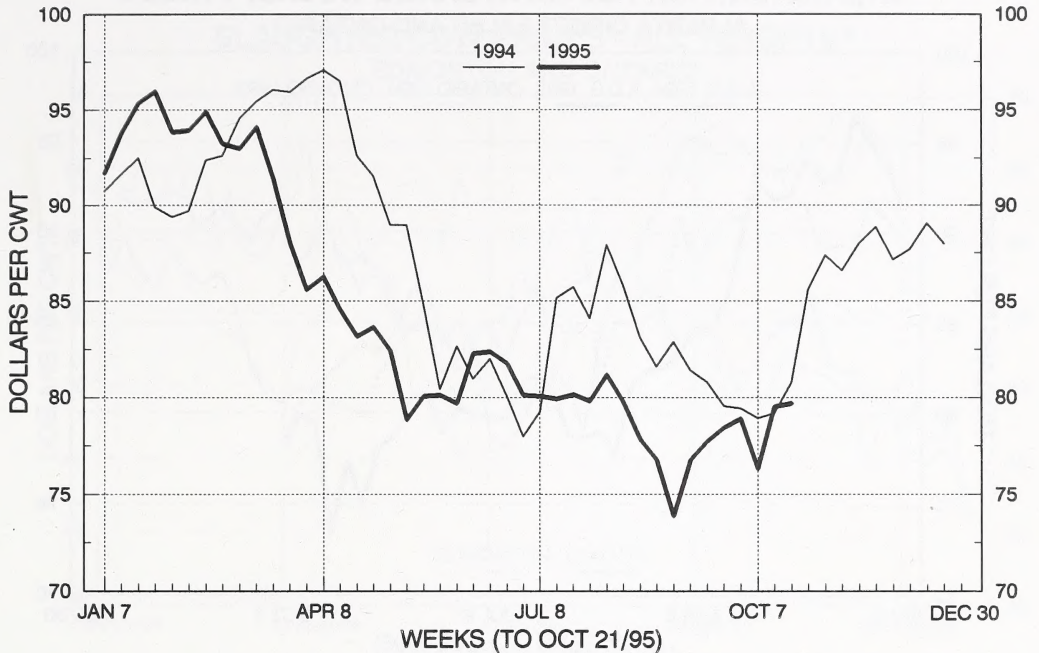
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- The purpose of these charts is to compare basis in the current year with basis in the previous 5 years.
- 5-year high indicates highest basis in that week in the 1990-94 period.
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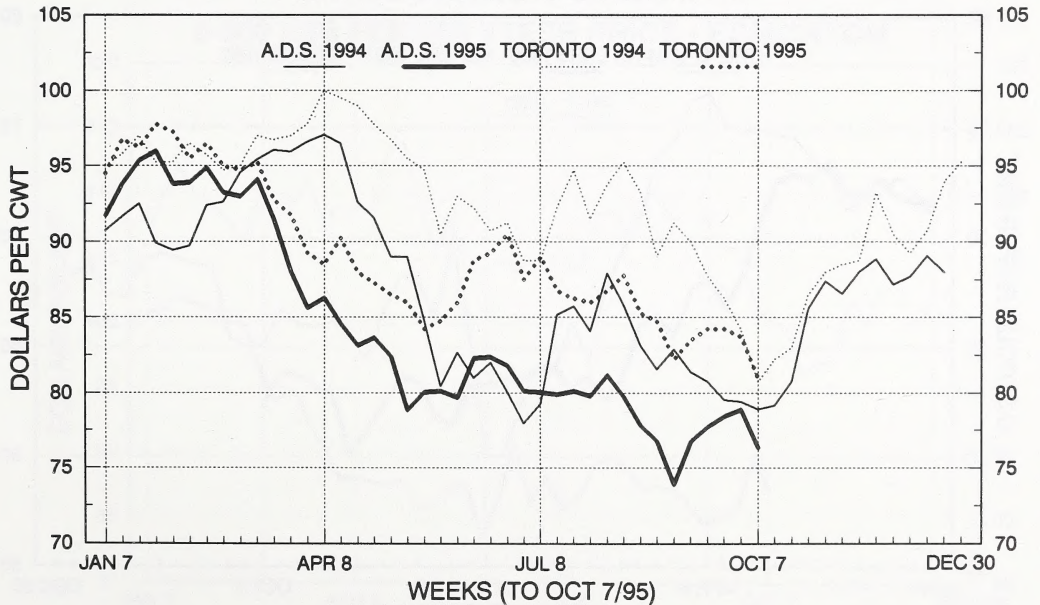
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- Seasonality charts use a statistical technique to compare observations in one particular period to observations over a much larger time period.
- The charts highlight seasonal patterns in prices and volumes.

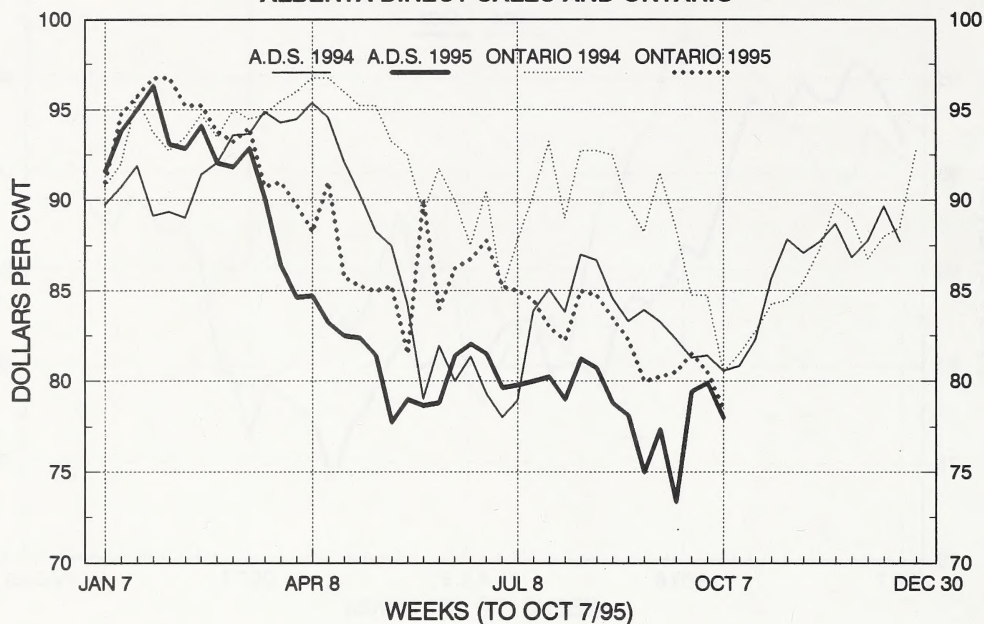
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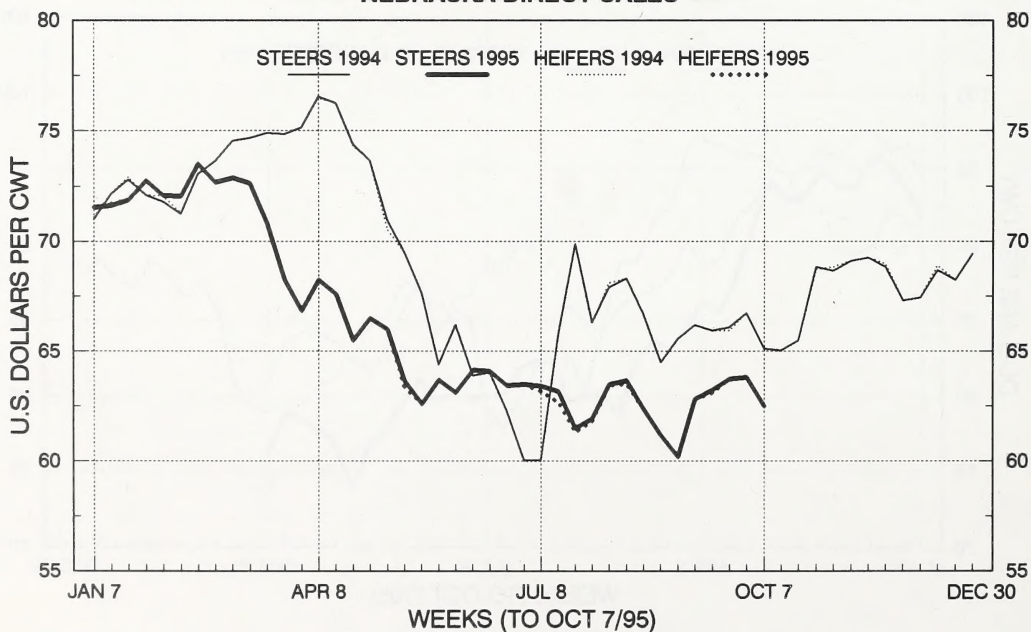
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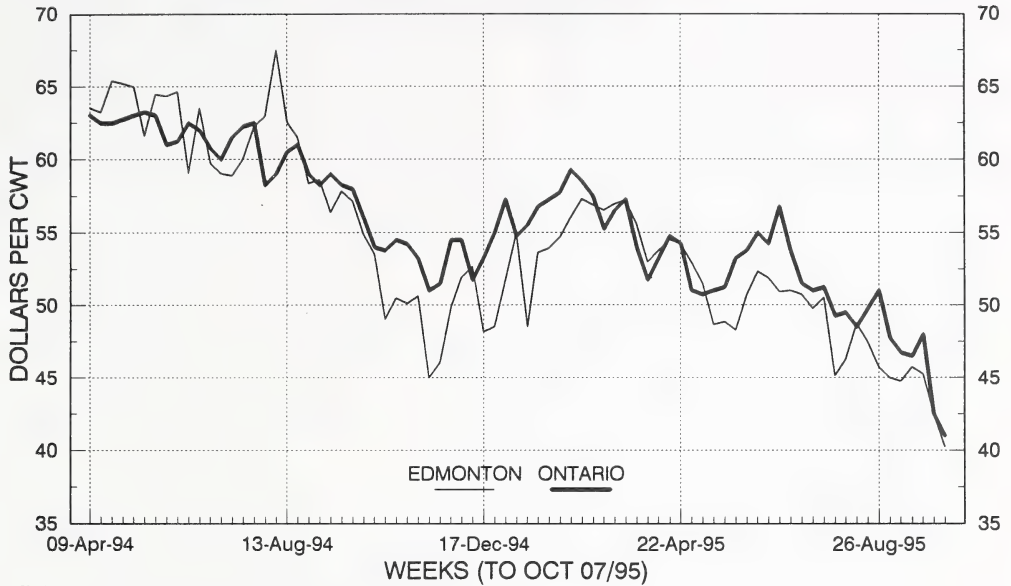


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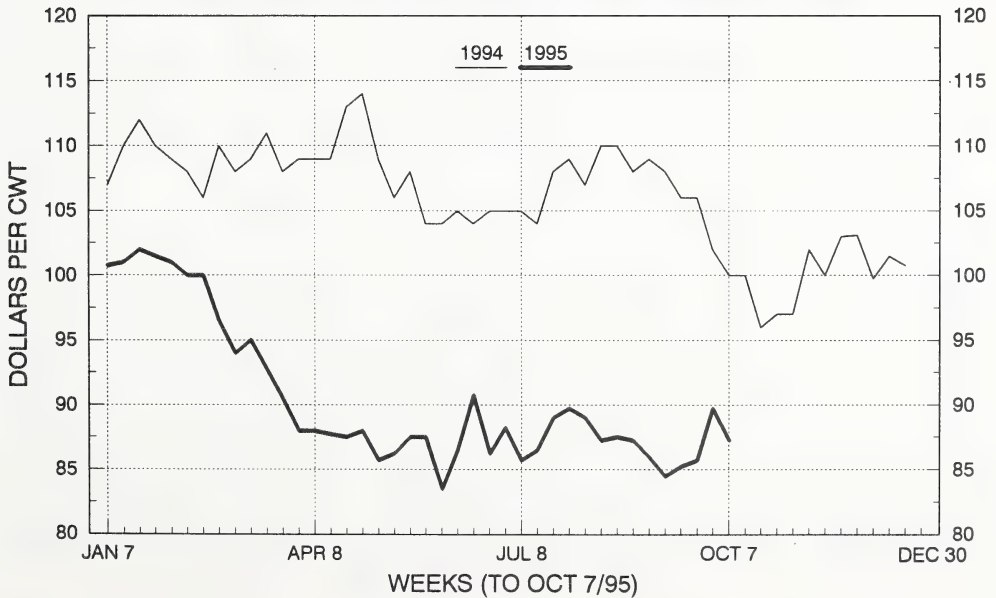
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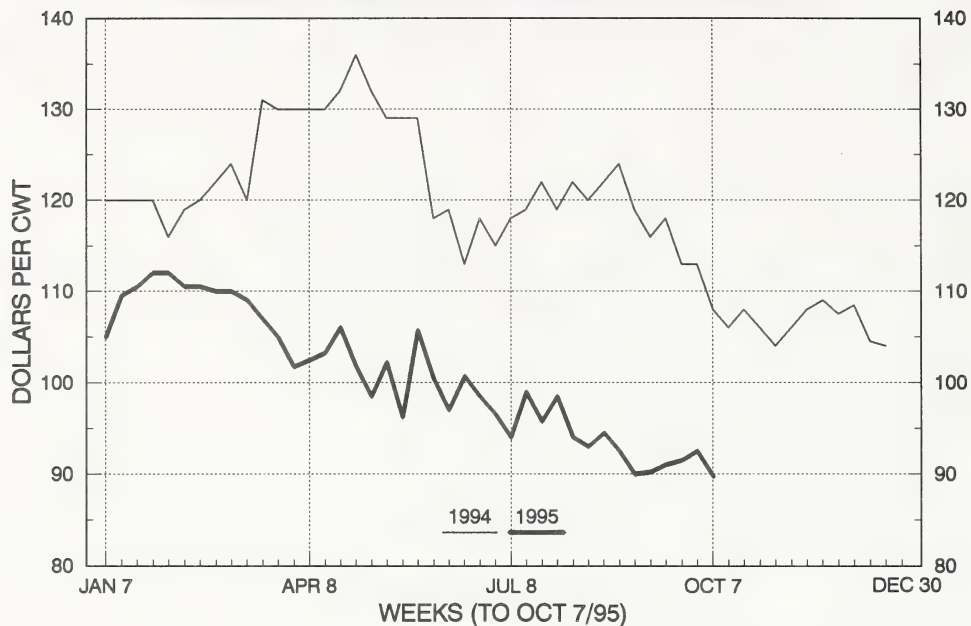


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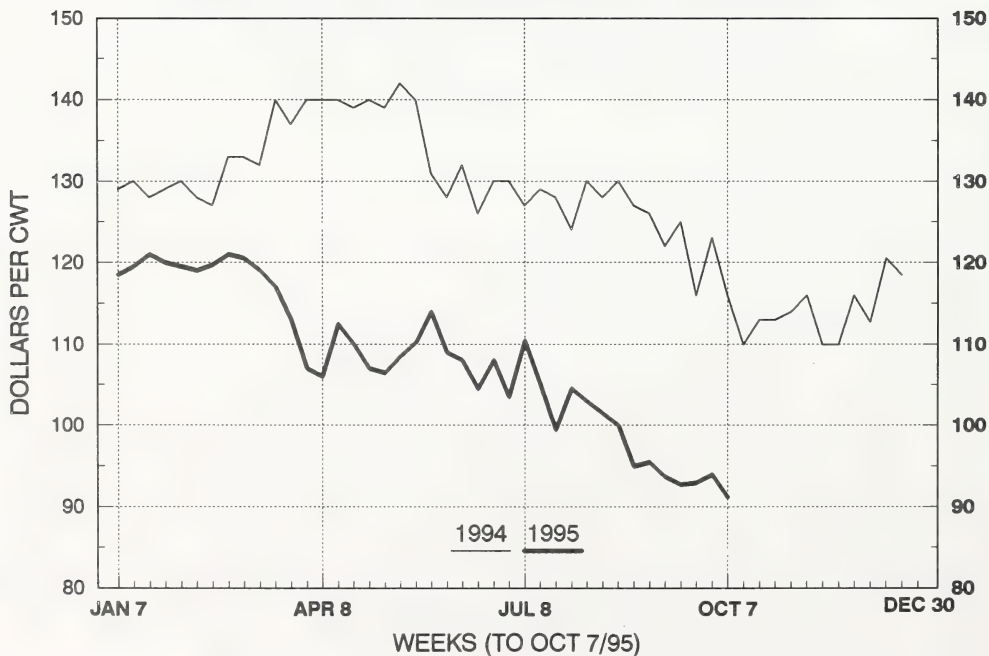
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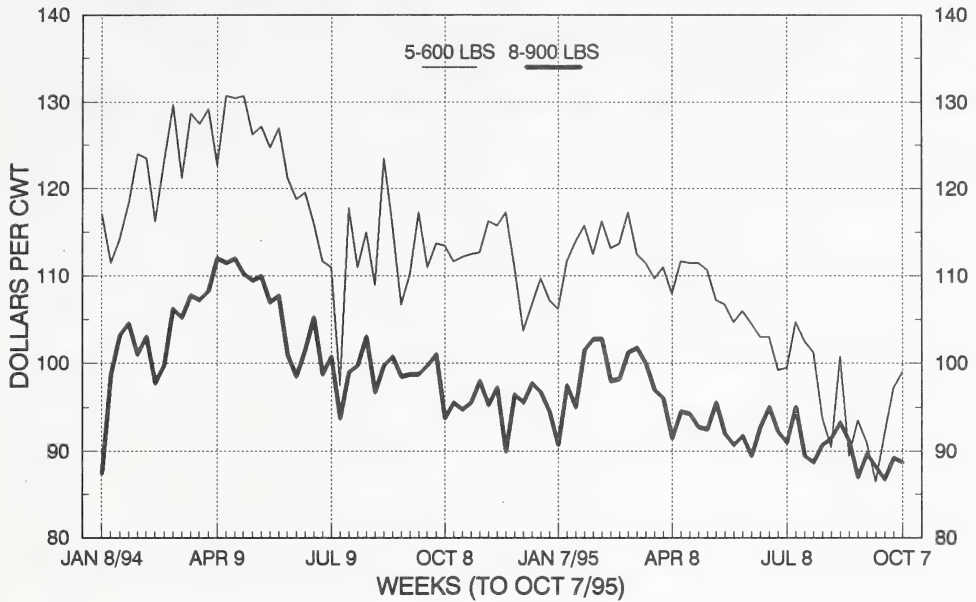
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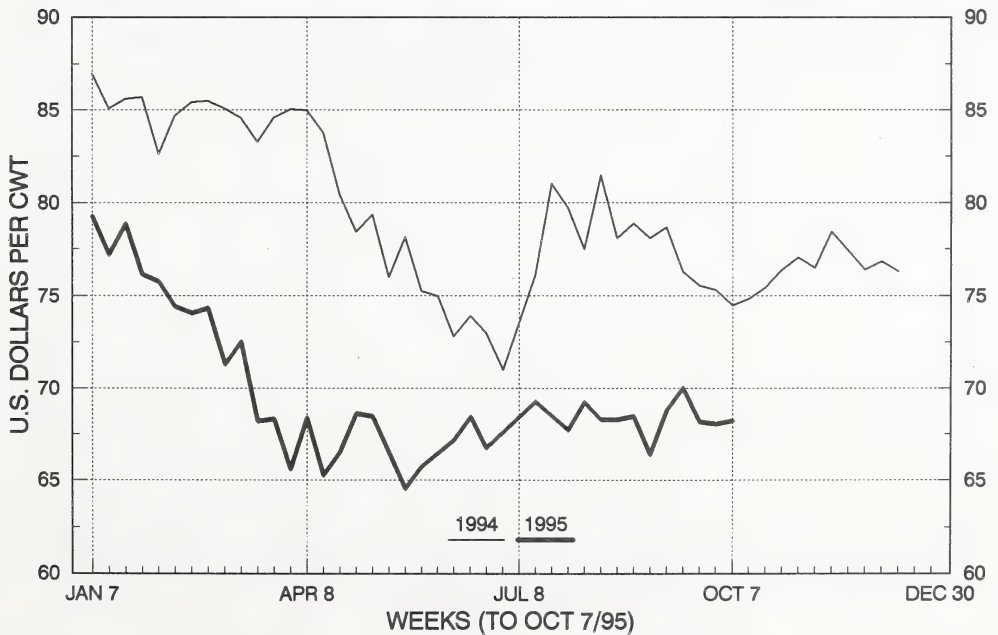


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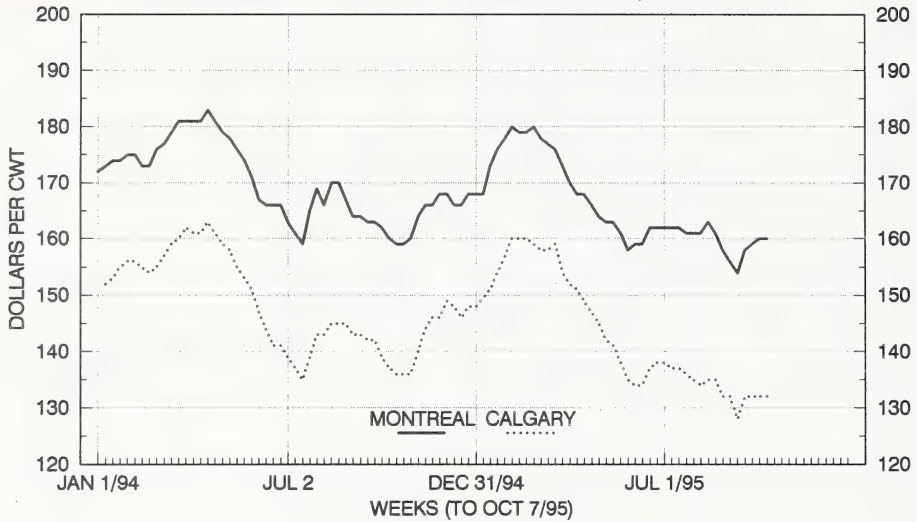


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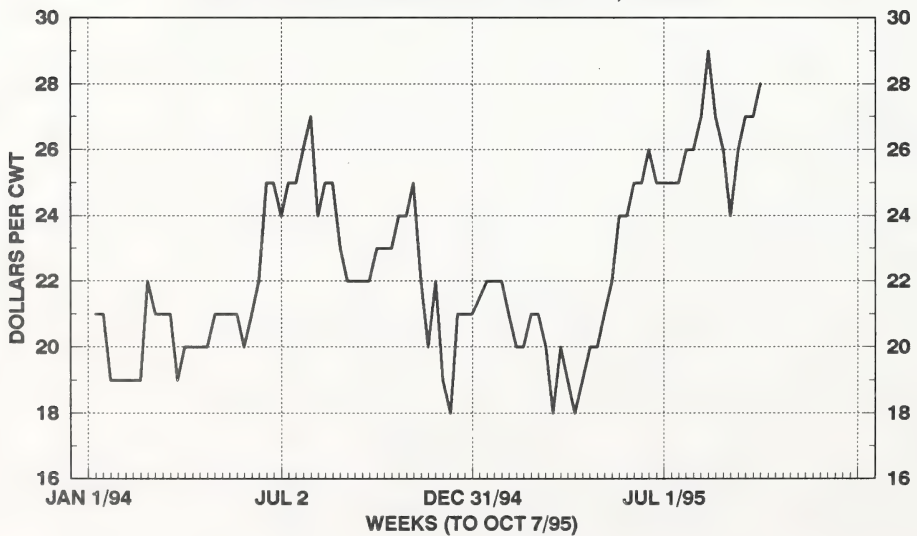
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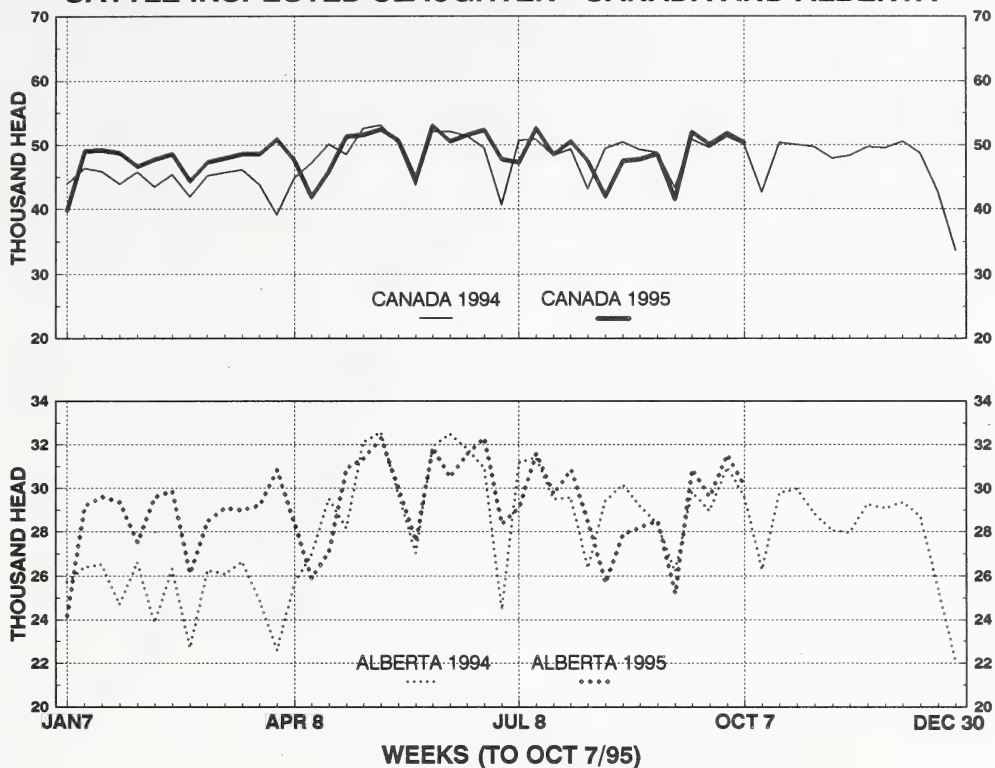
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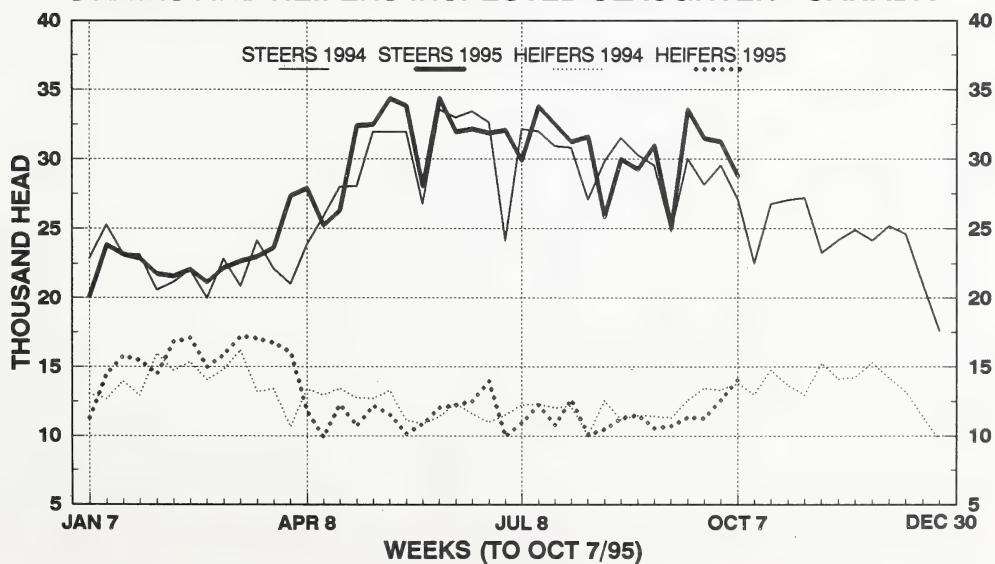
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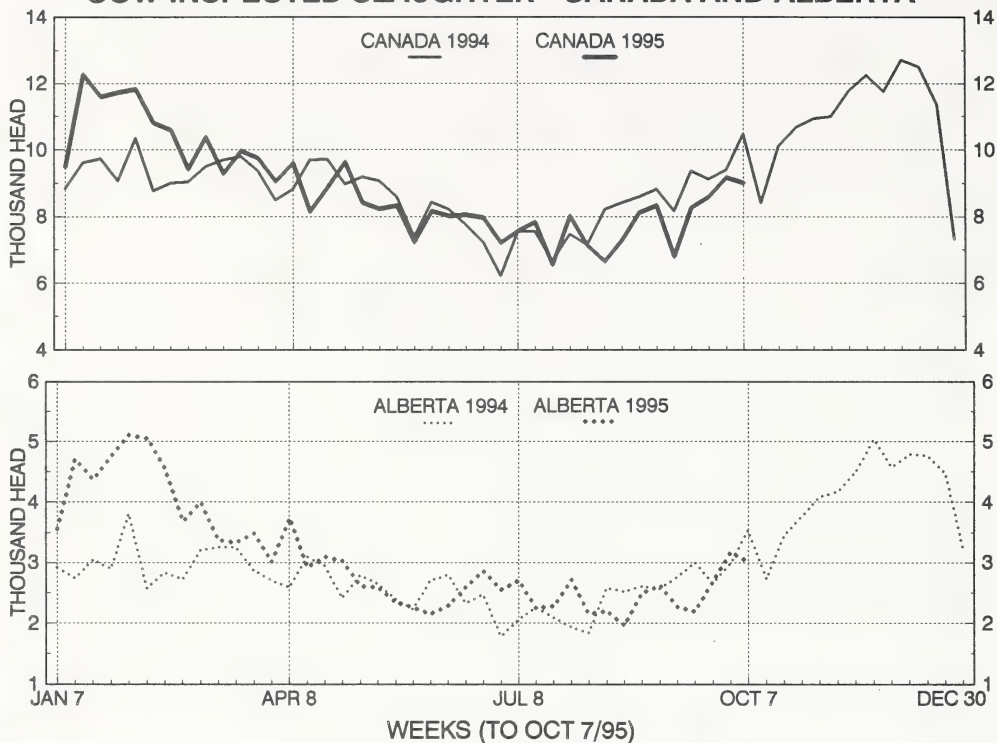
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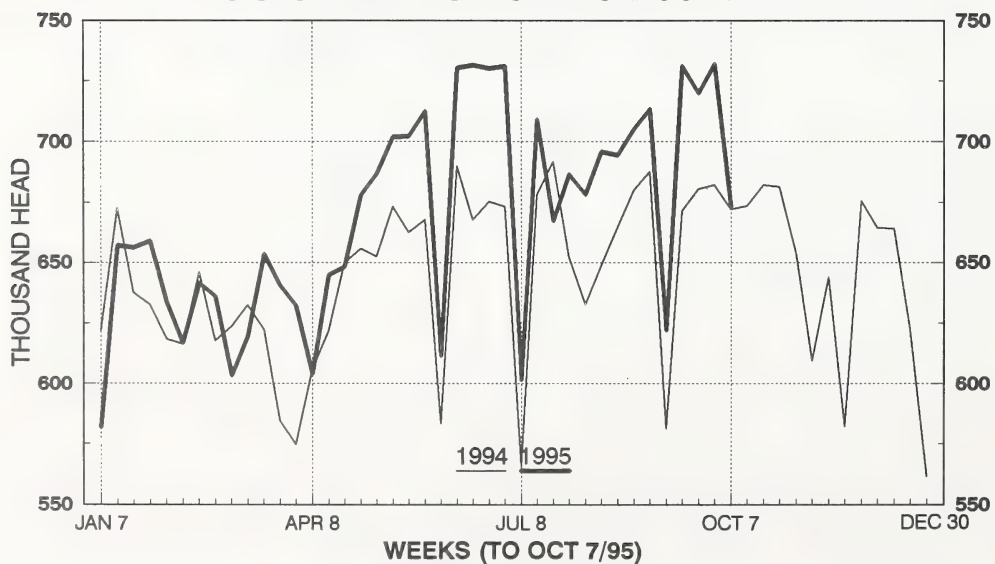
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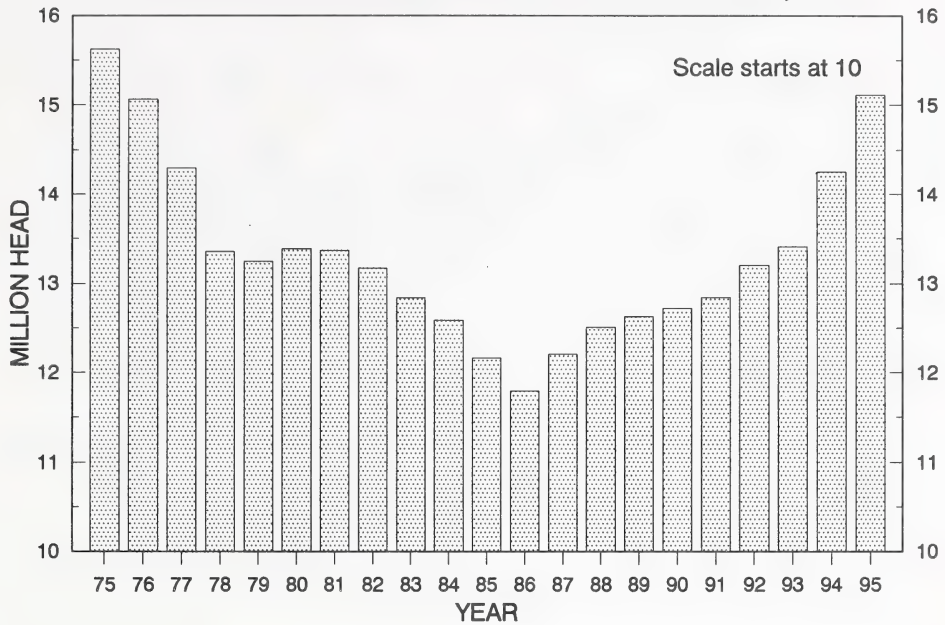
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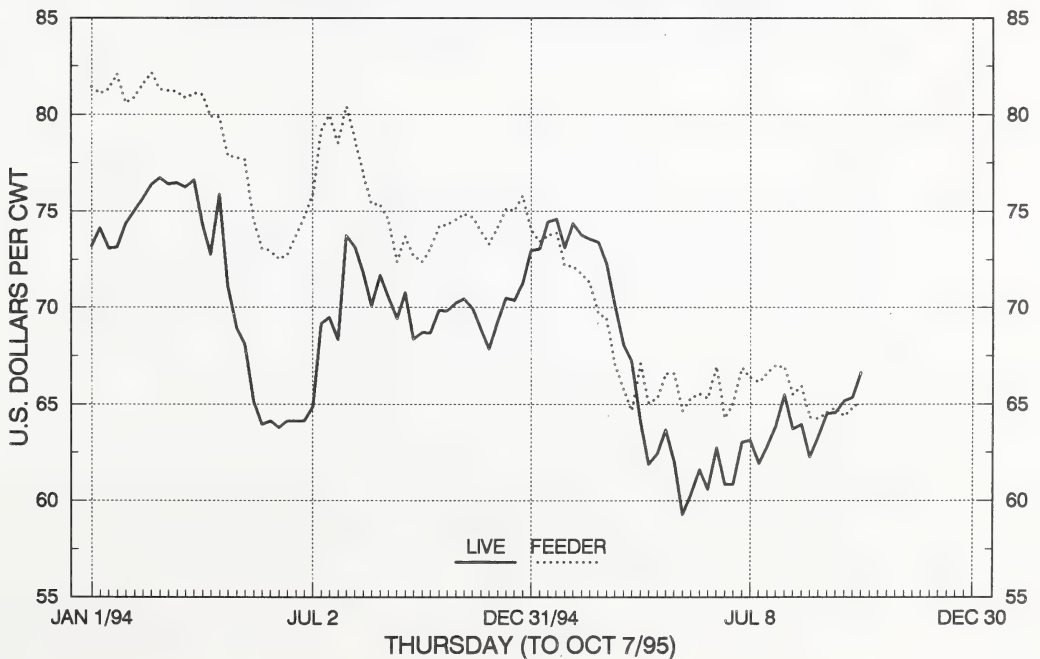
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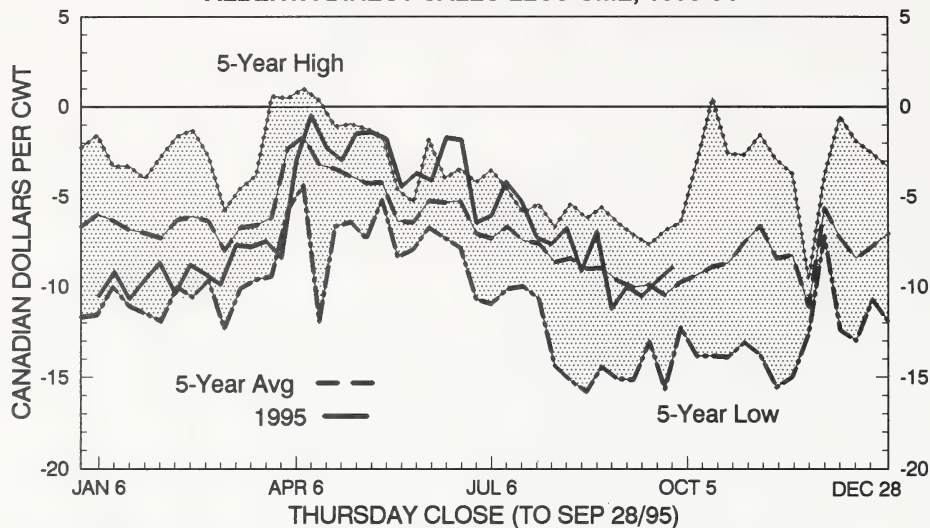


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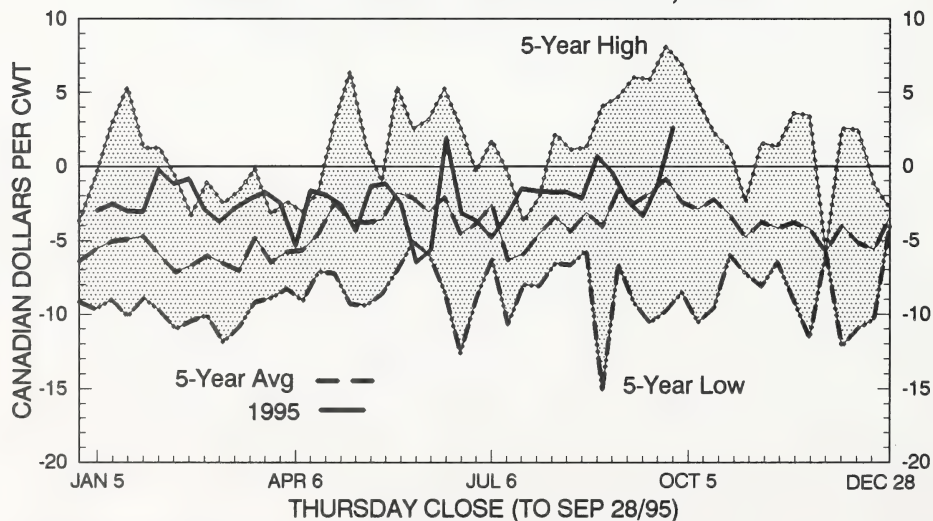
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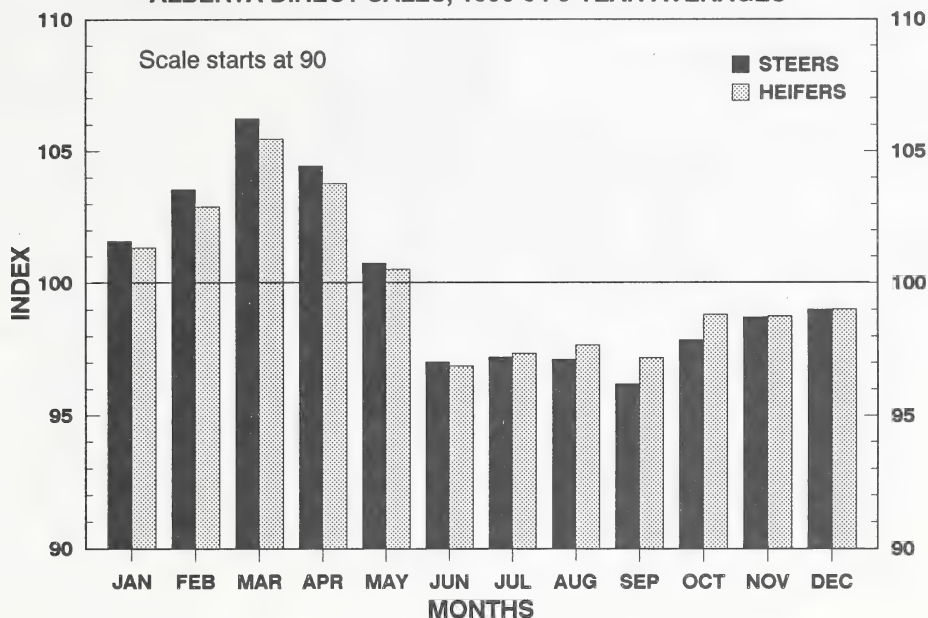
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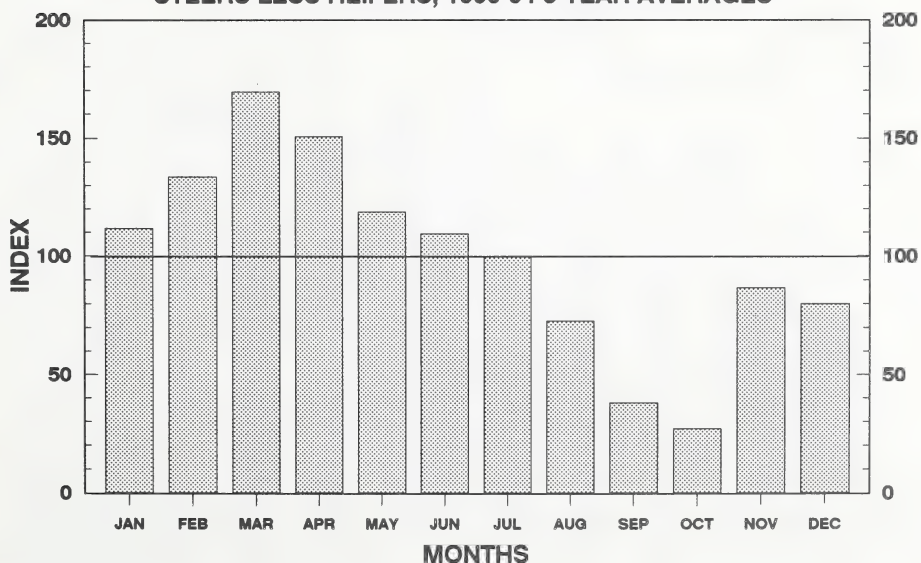


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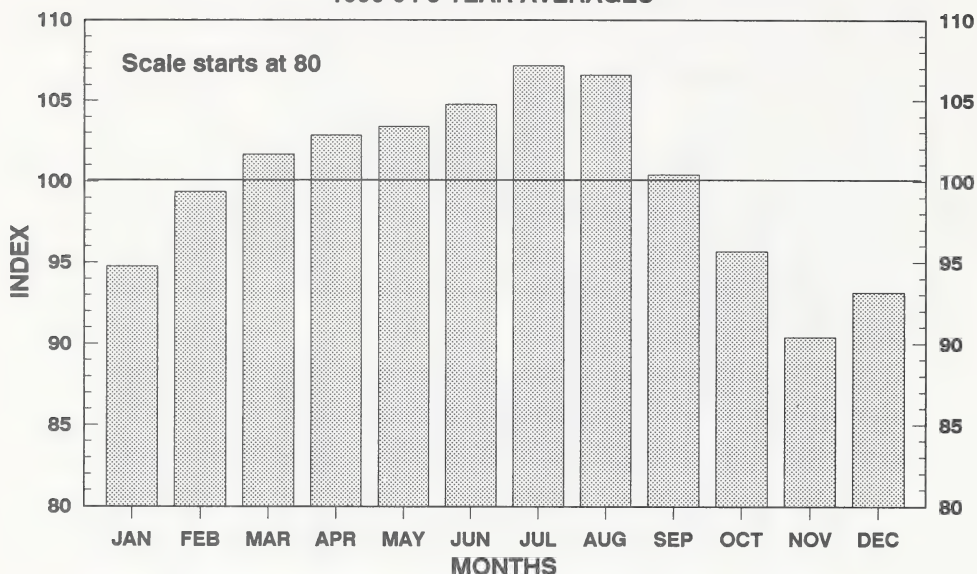
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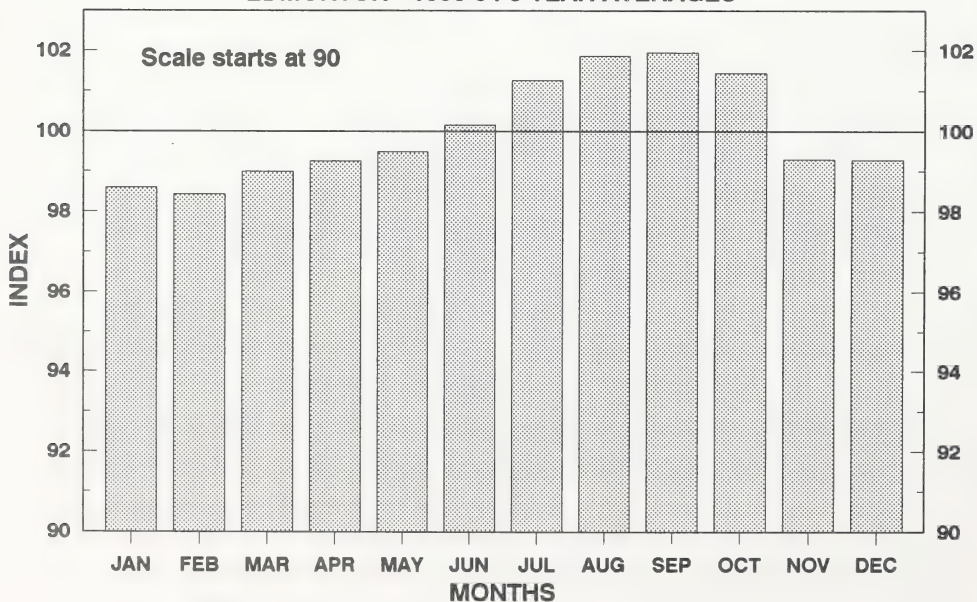
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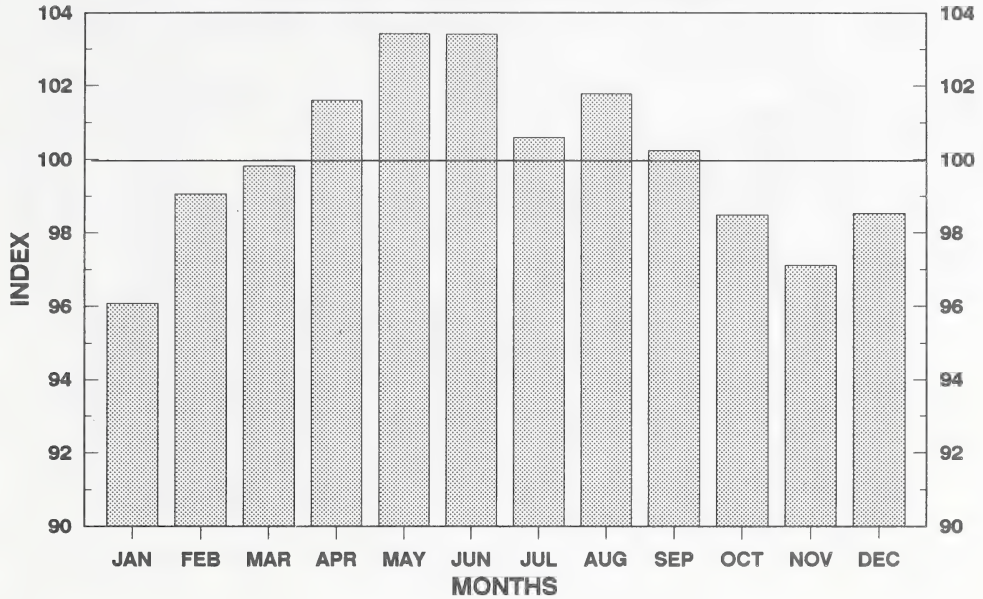
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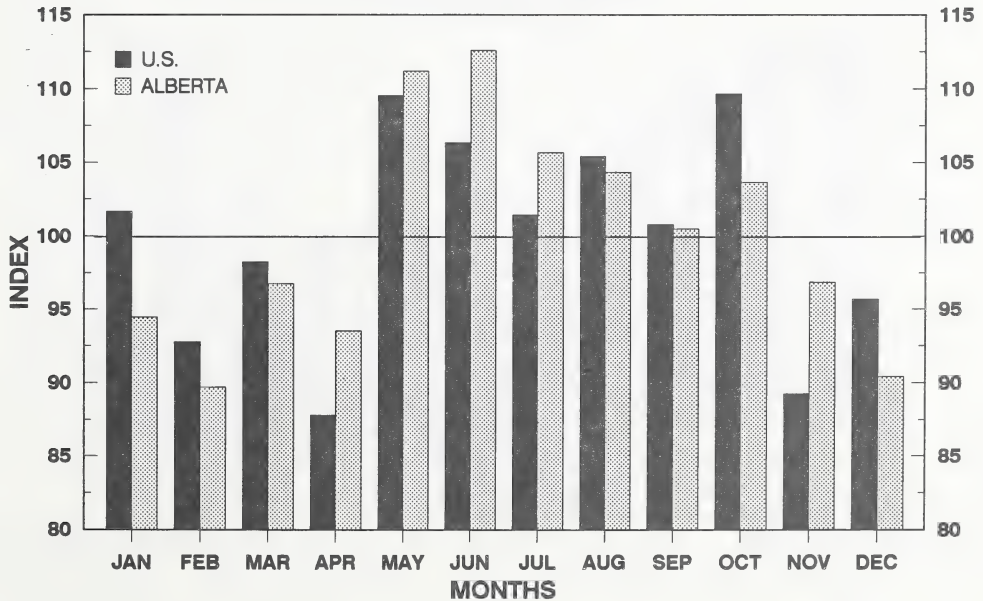
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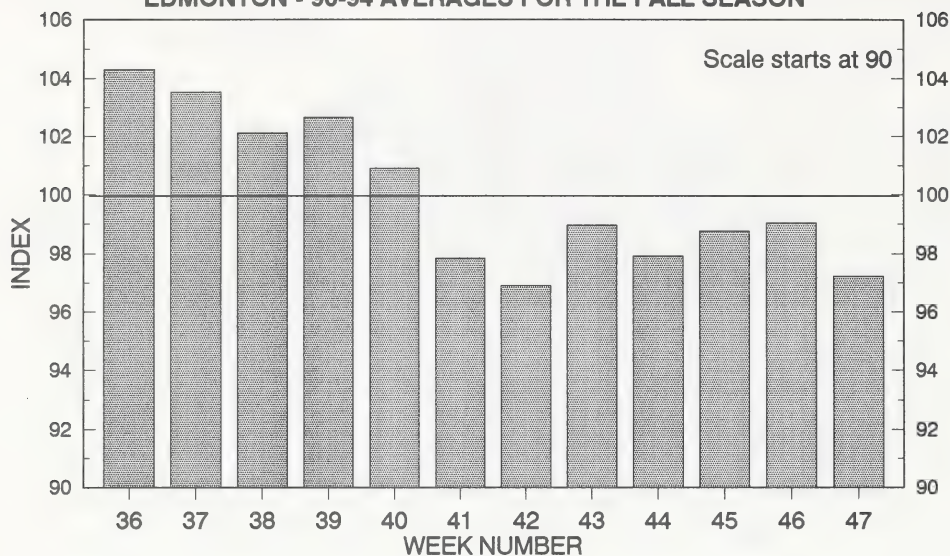
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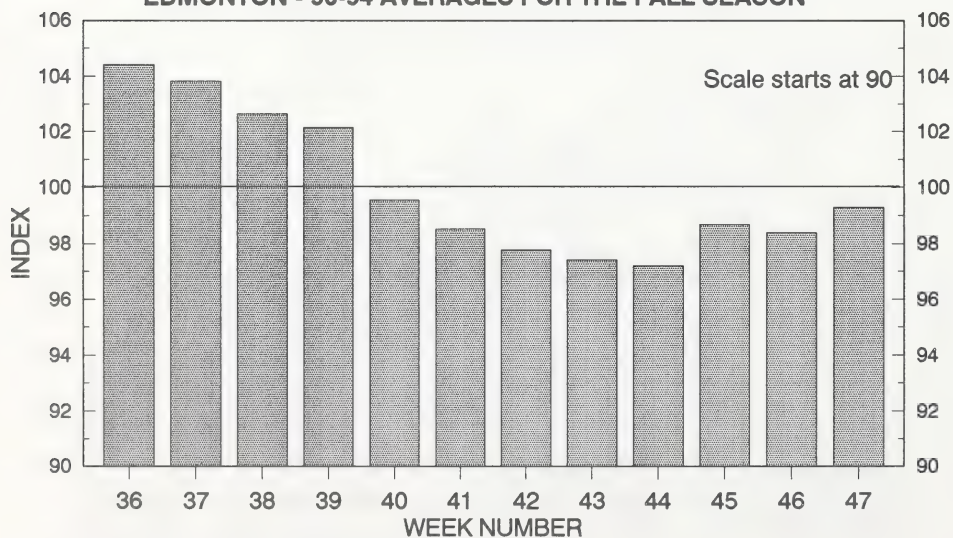
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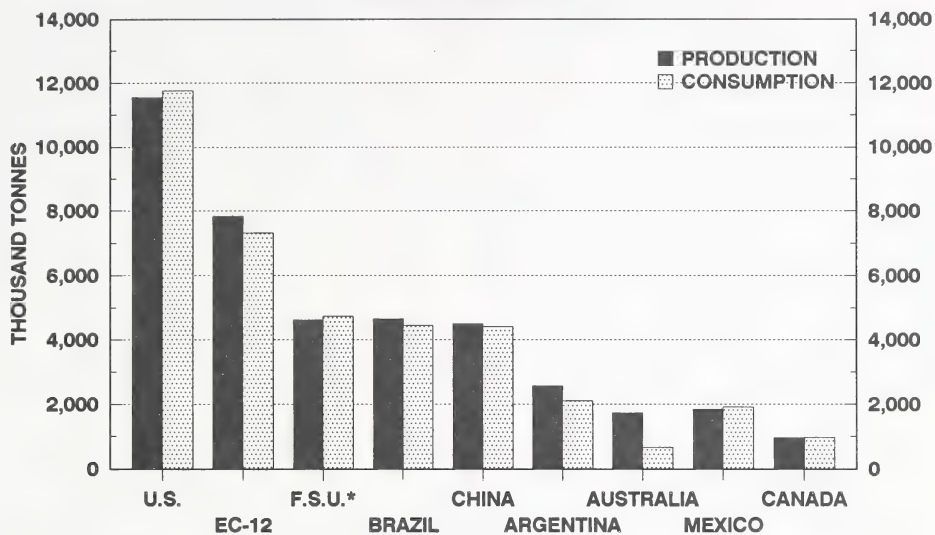


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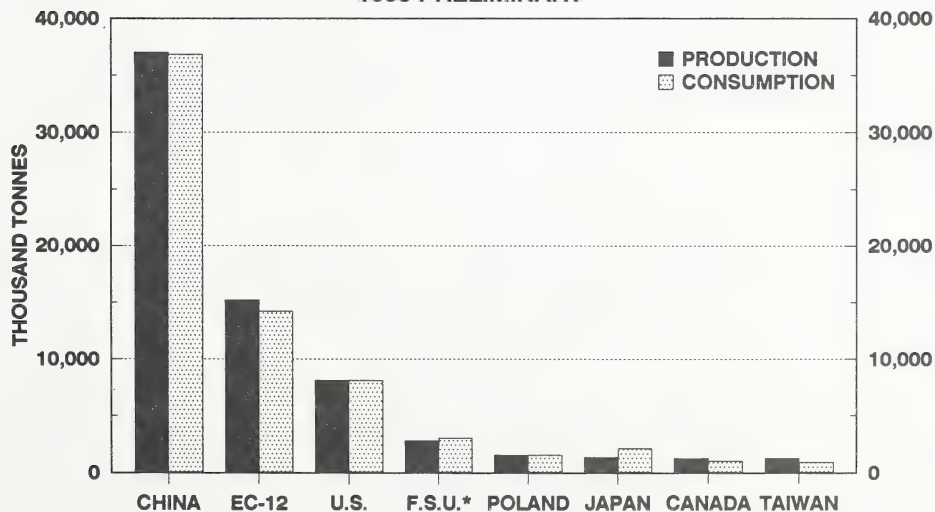
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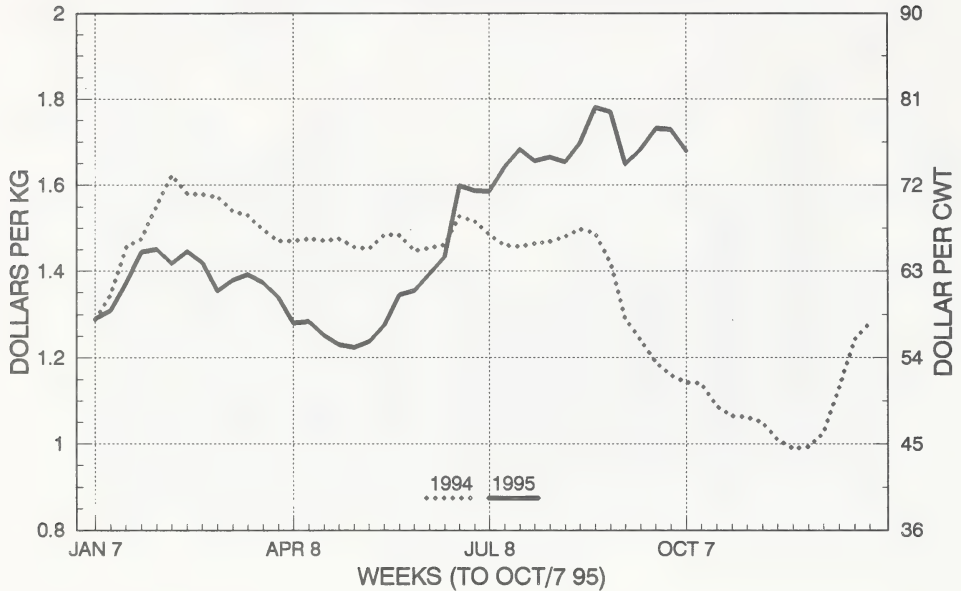
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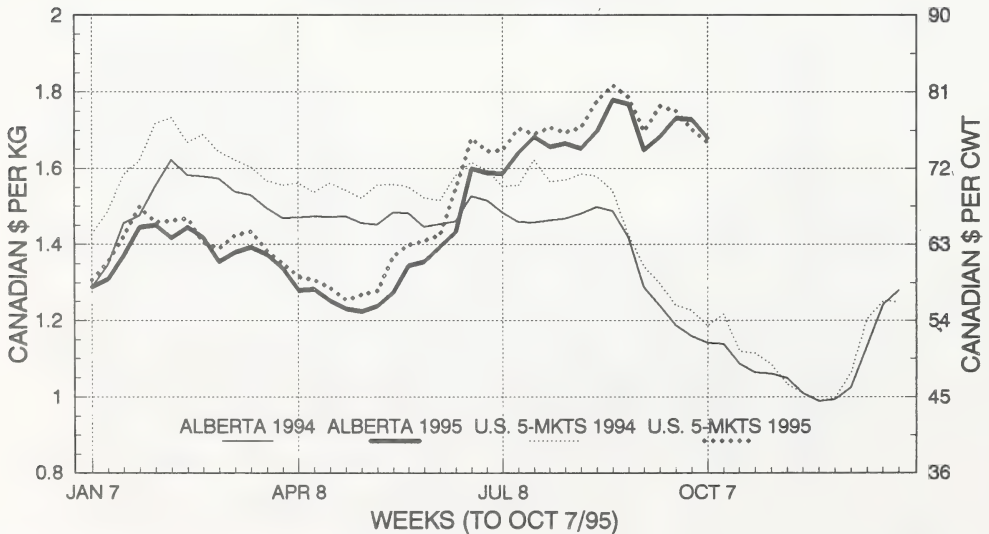


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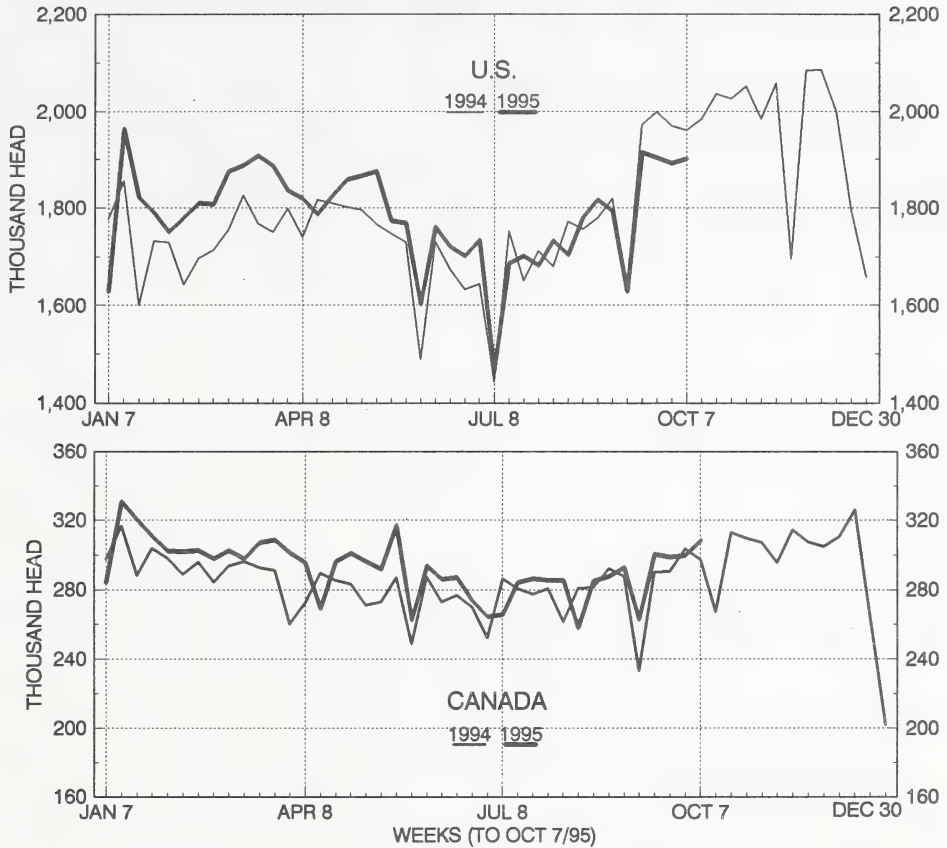


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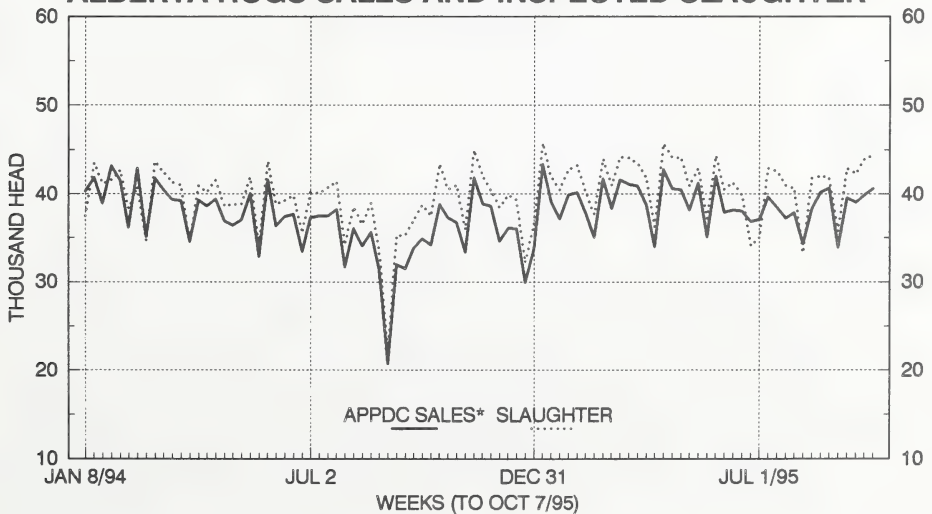


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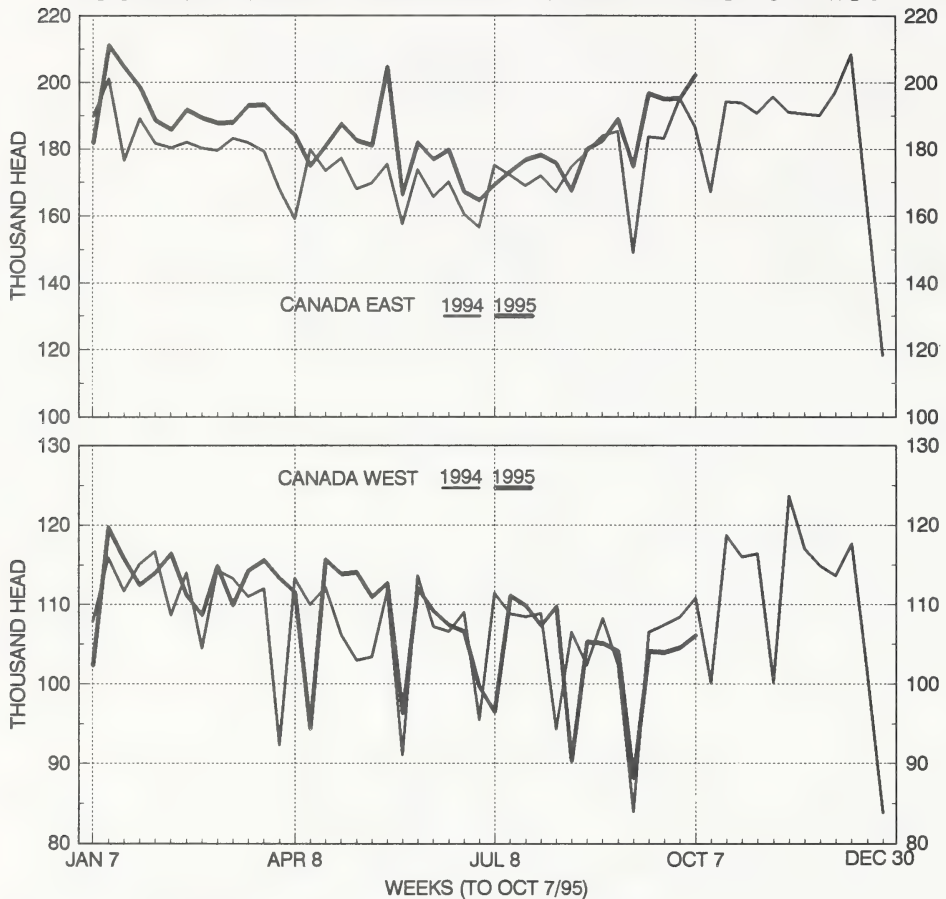


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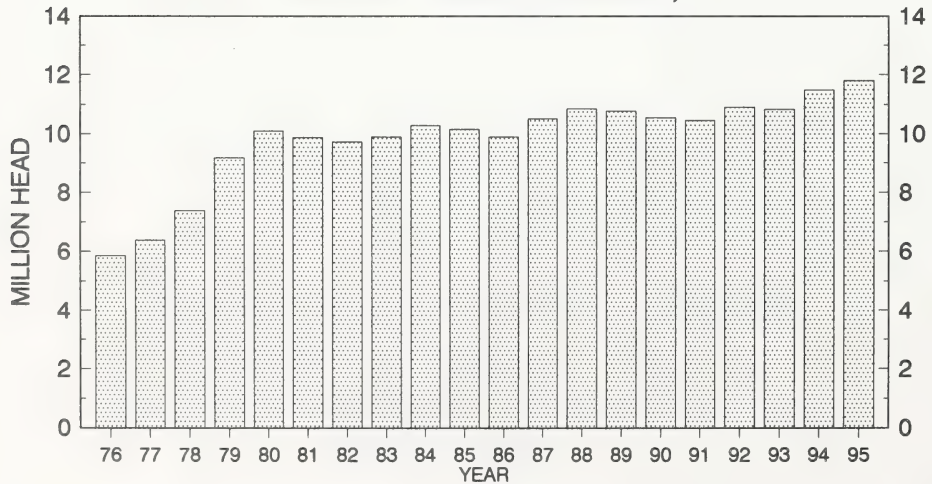


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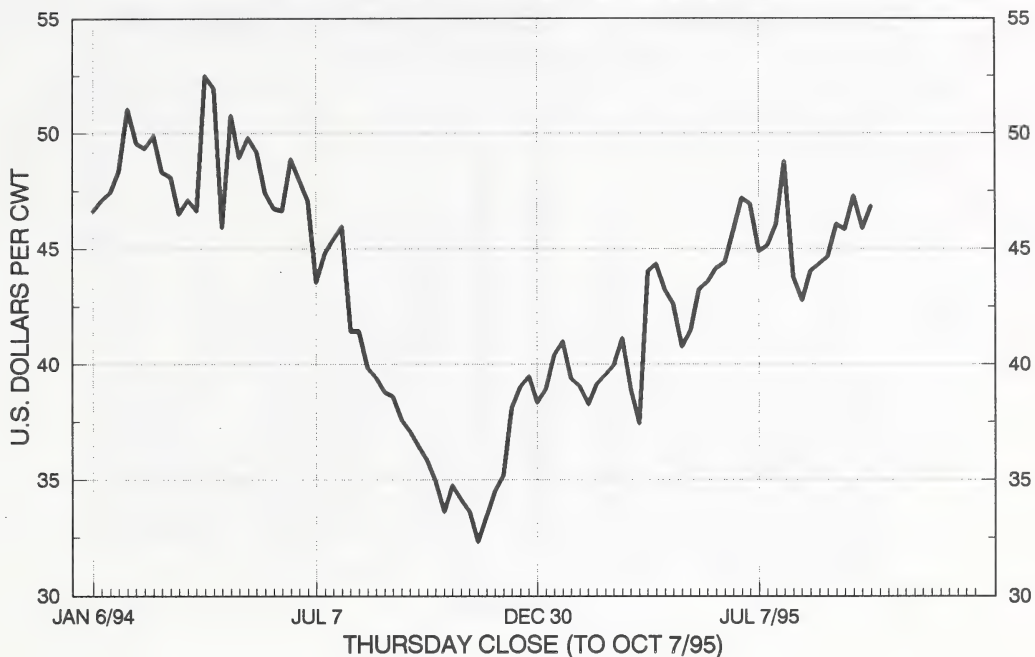
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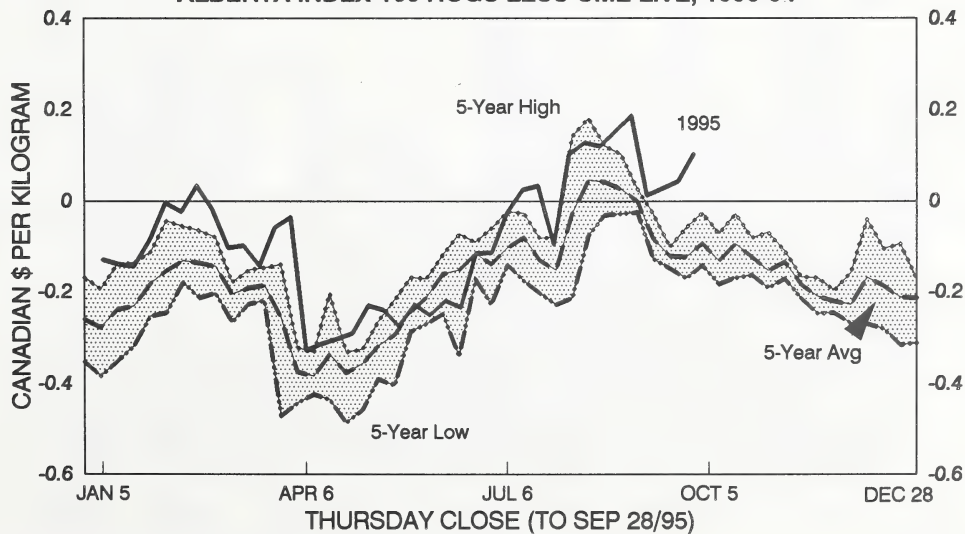
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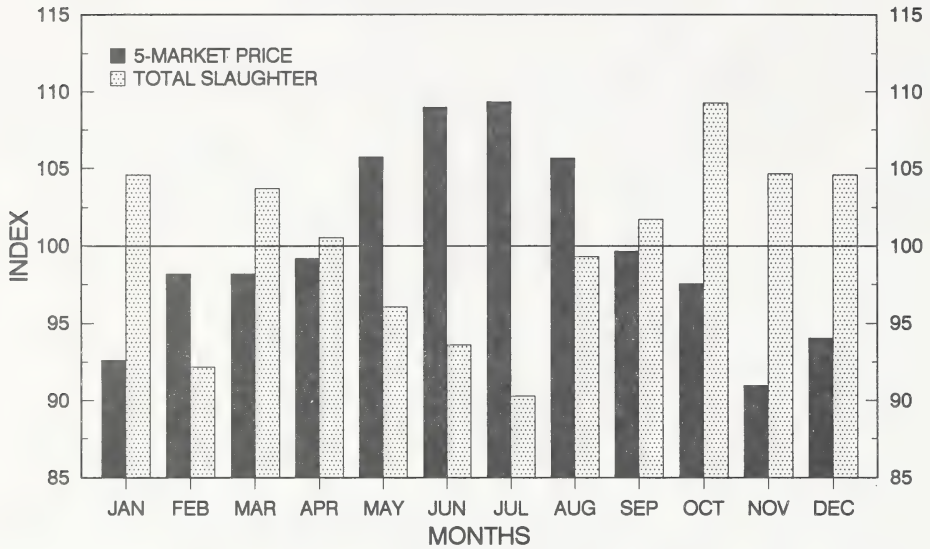


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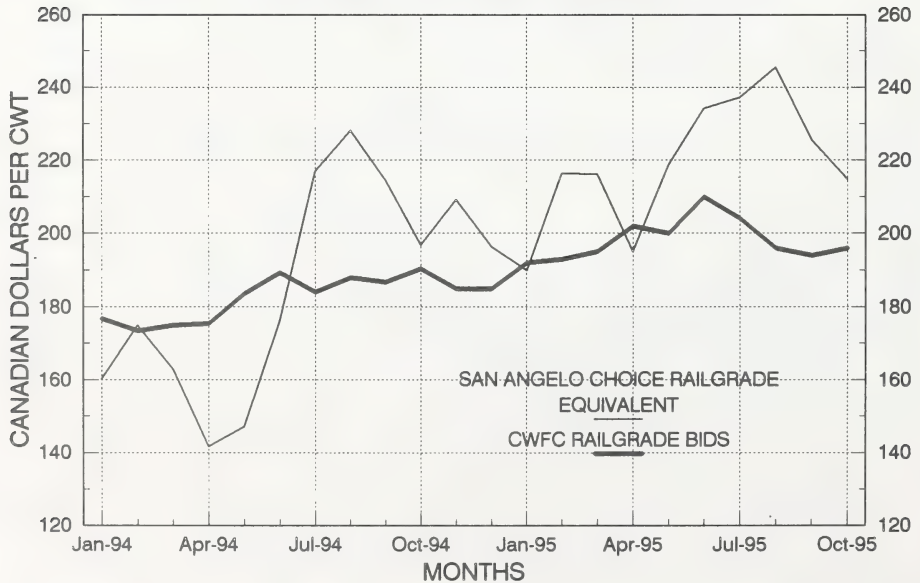


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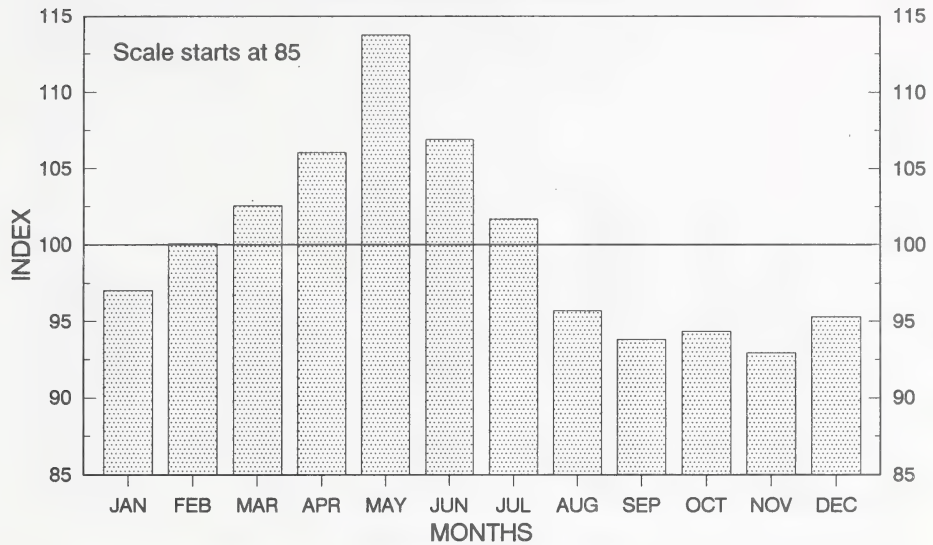


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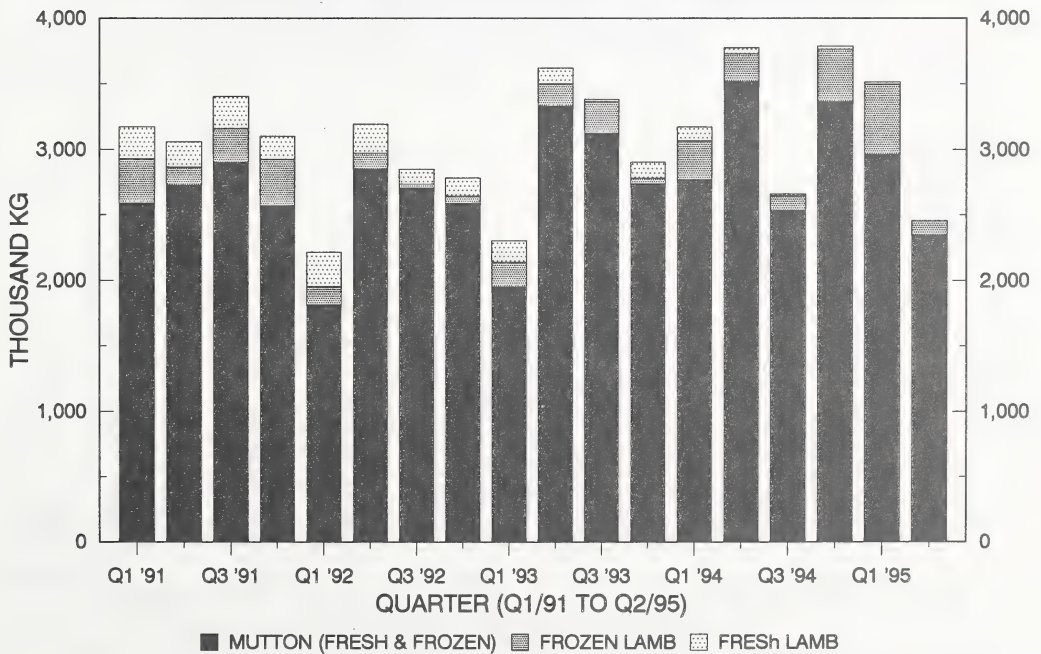


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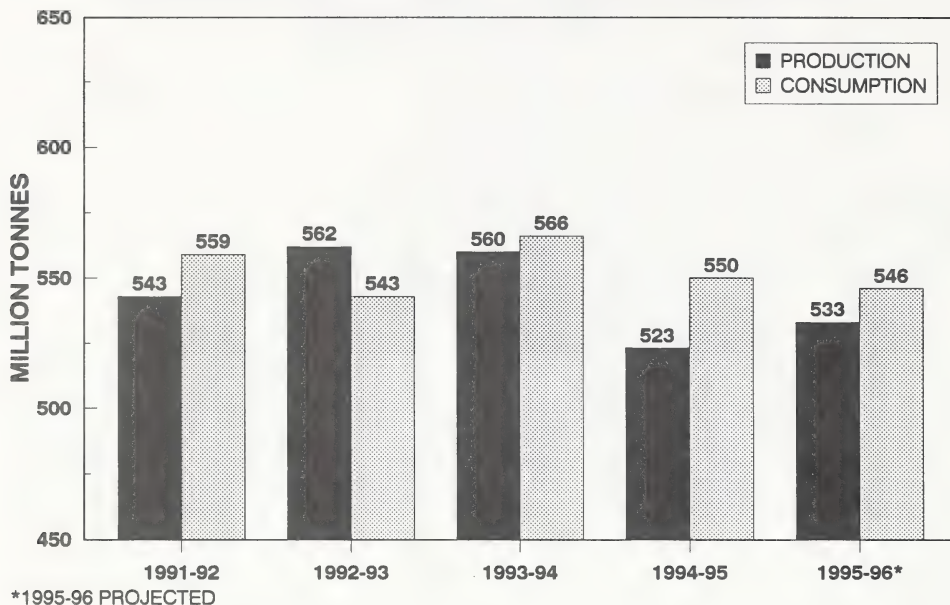
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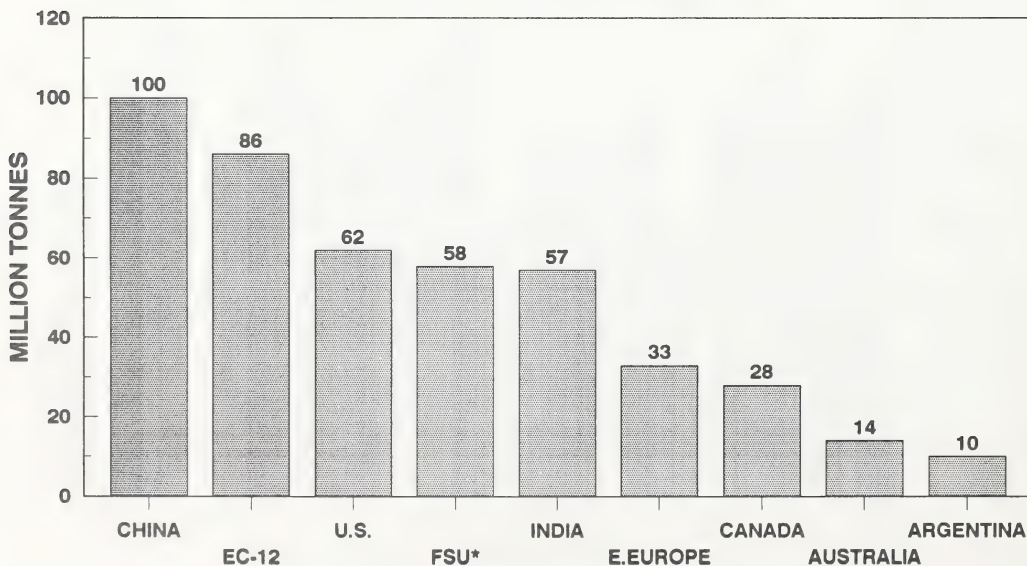
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WORLD WHEAT PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION



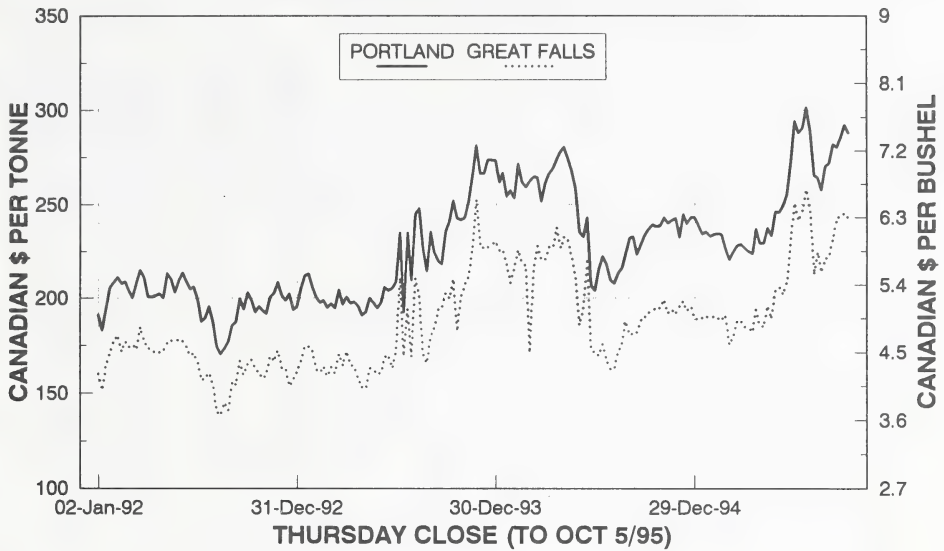
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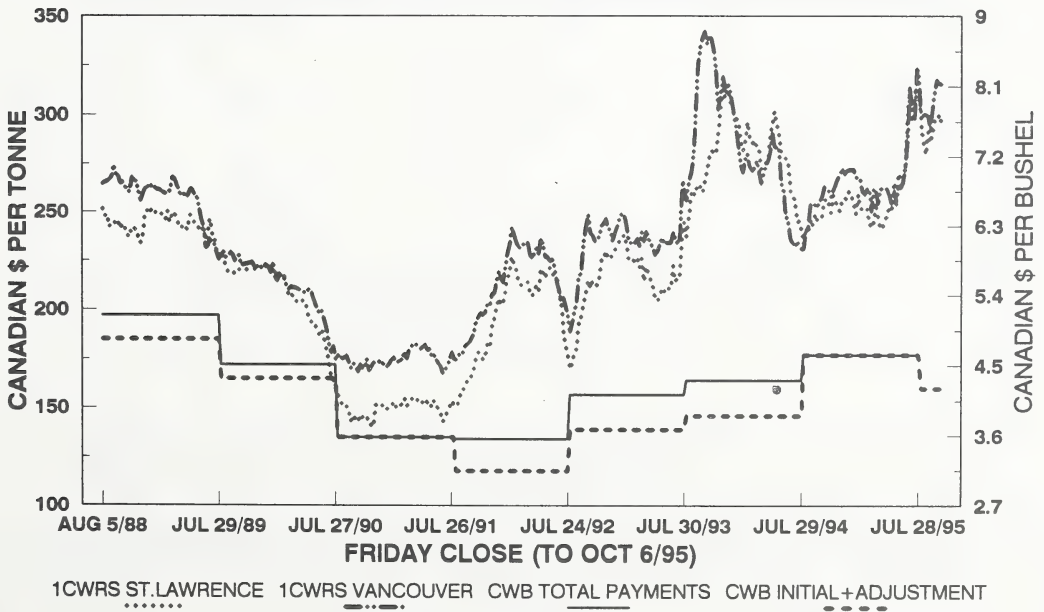
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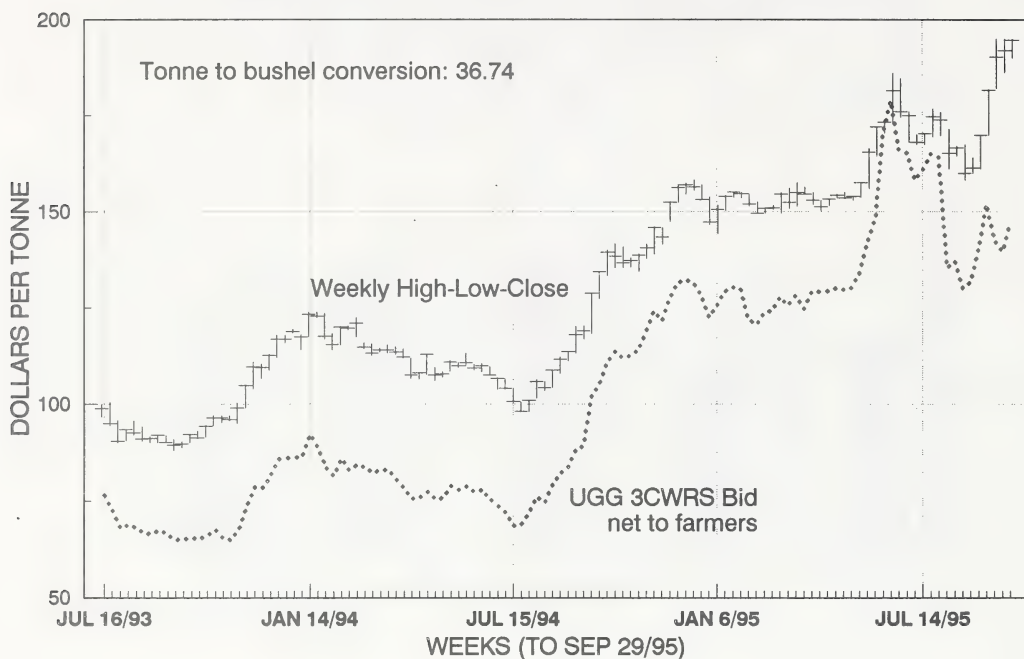
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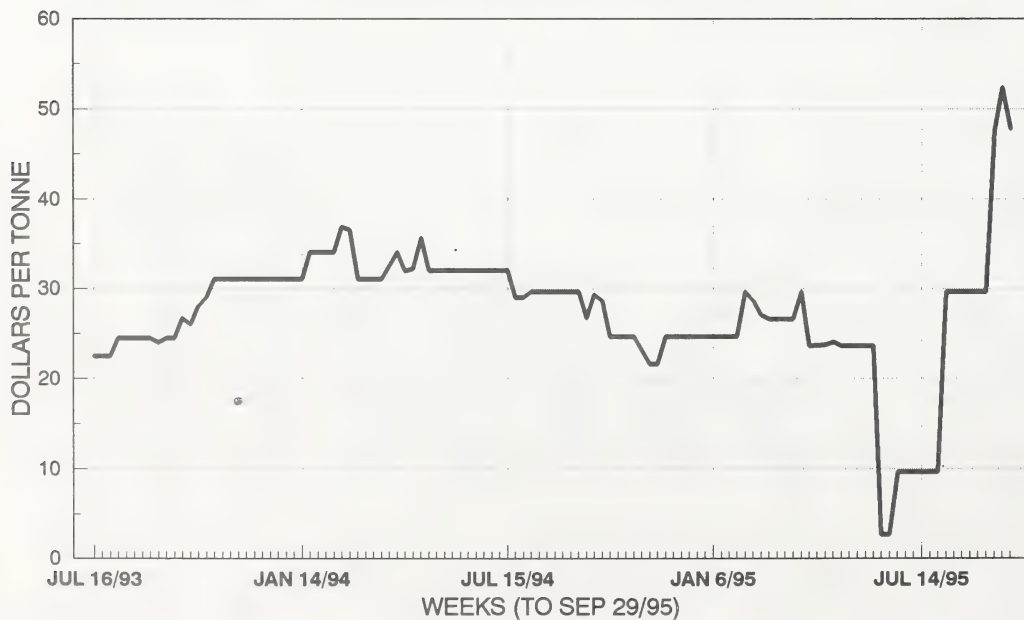
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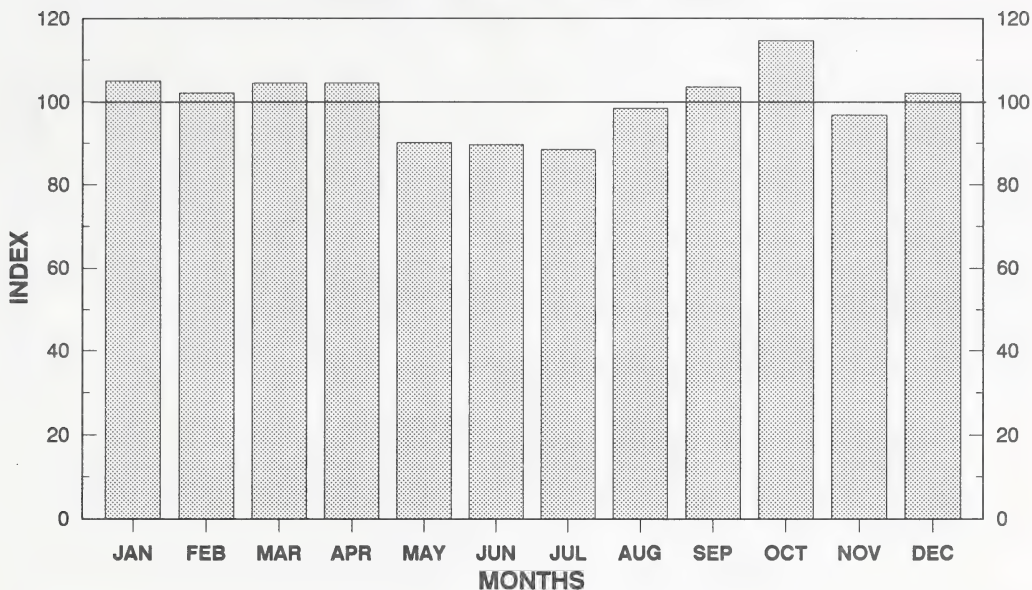
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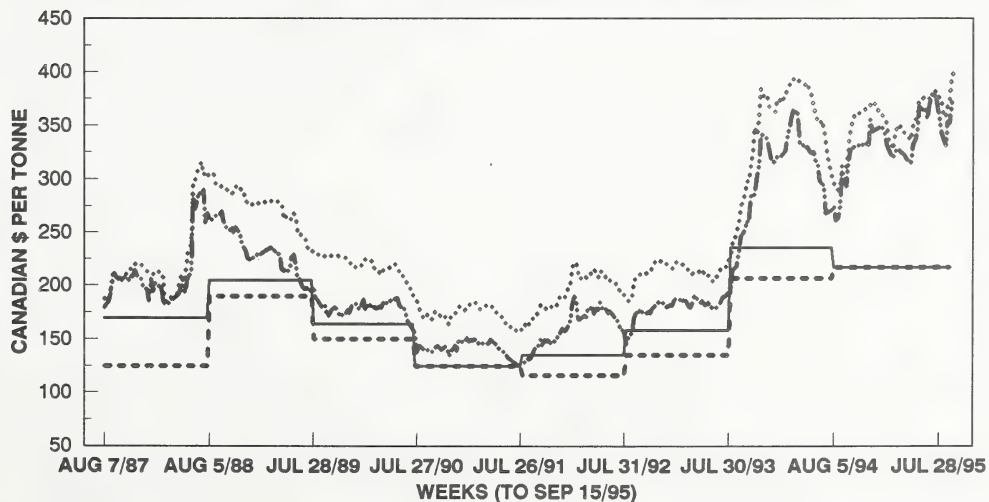
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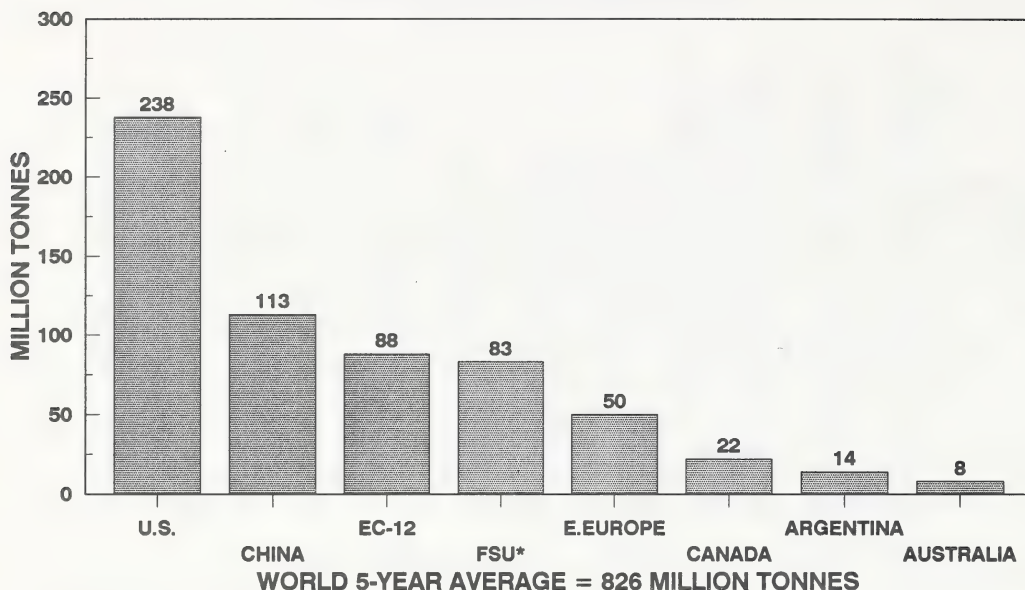


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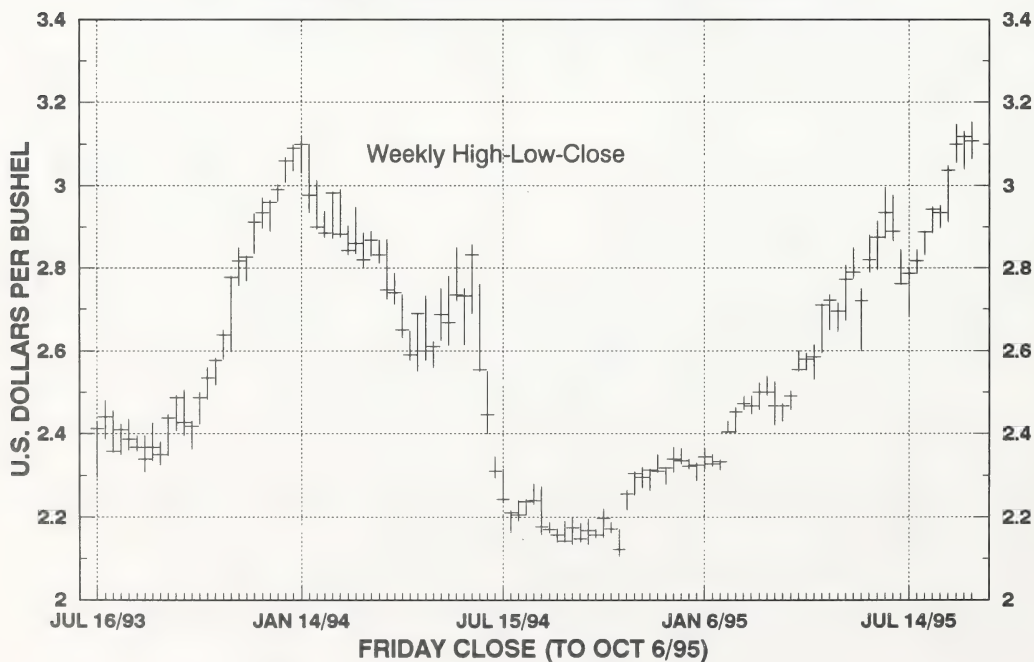
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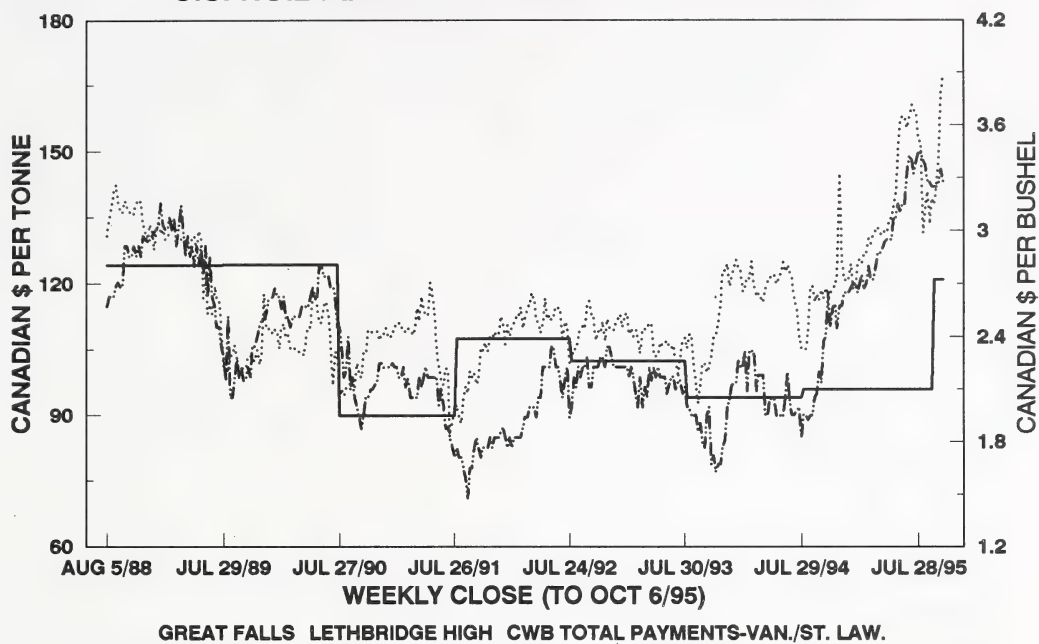


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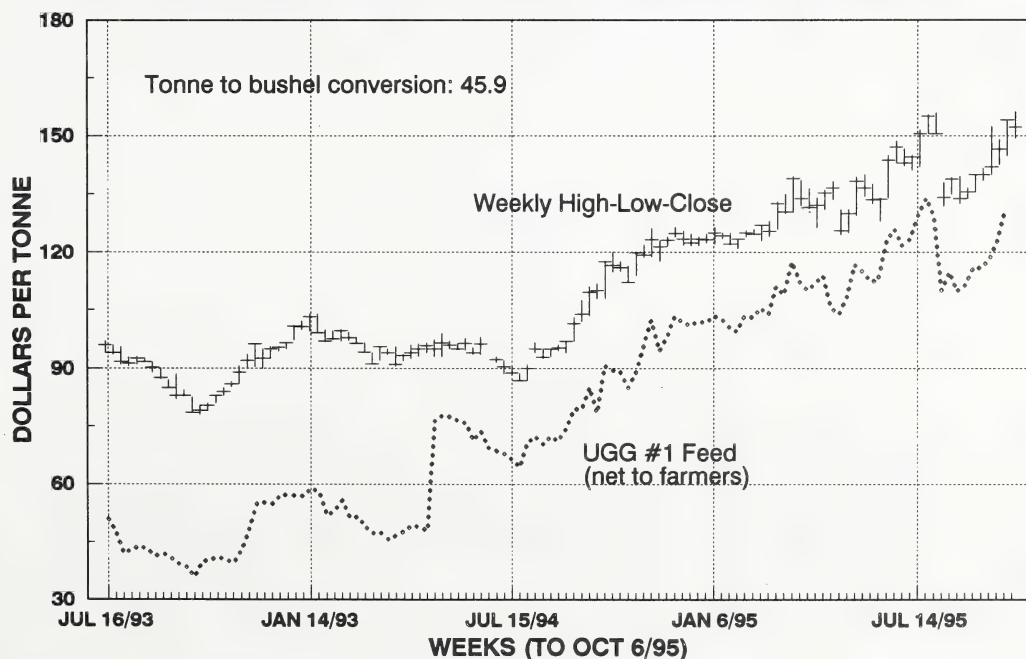
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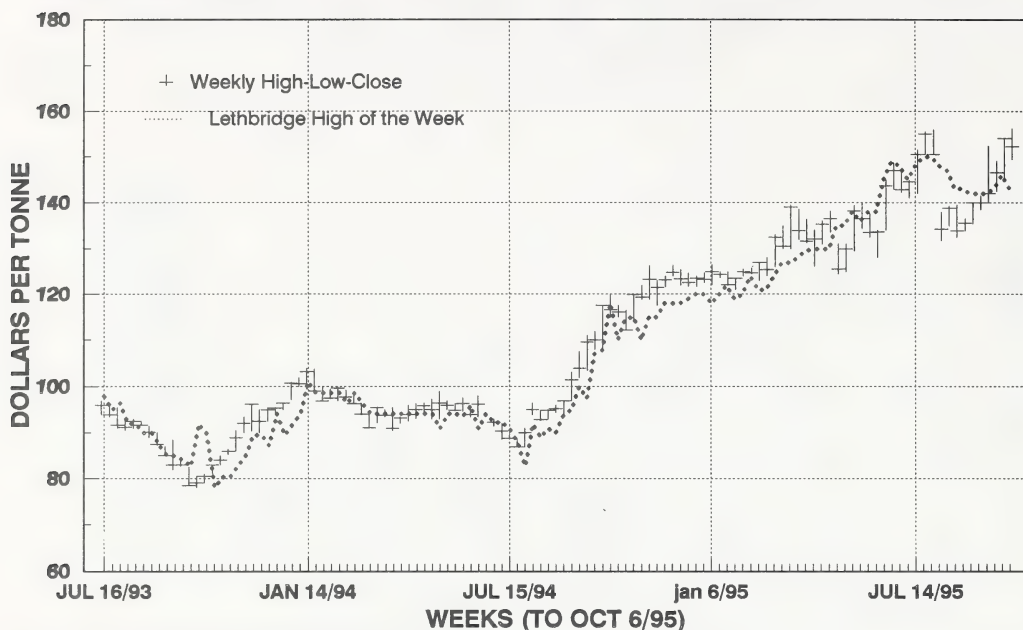
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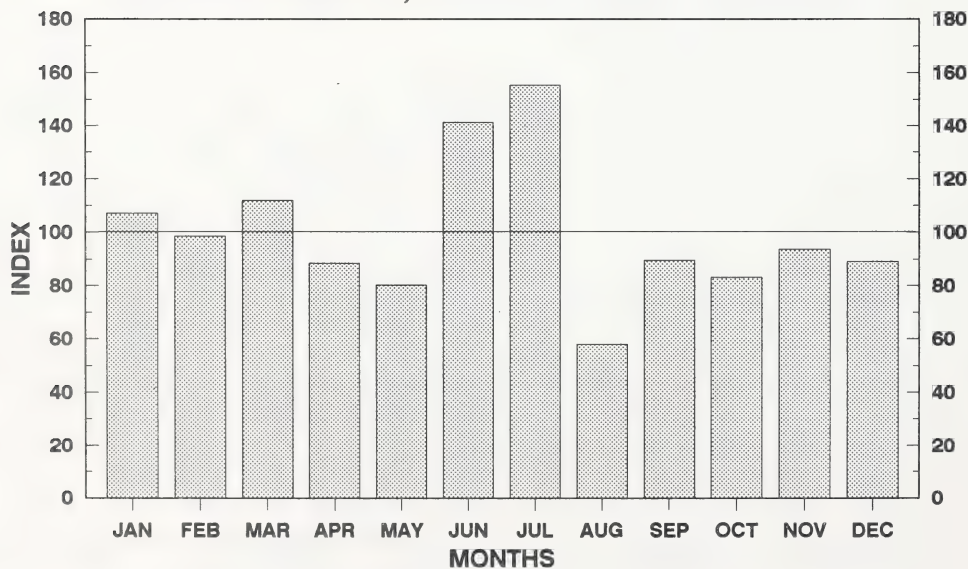


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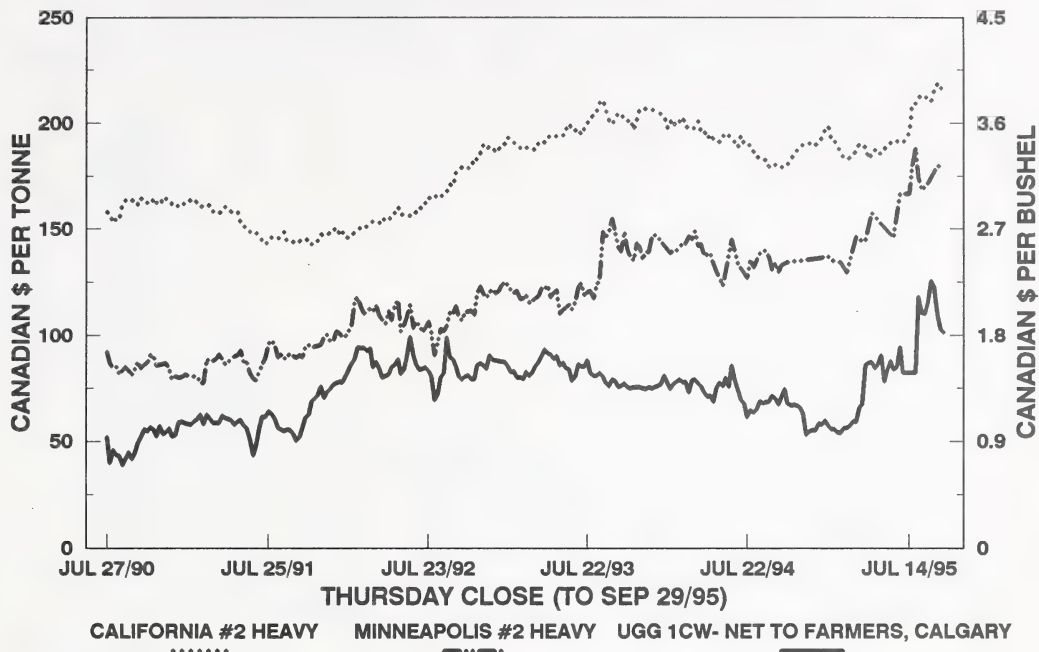


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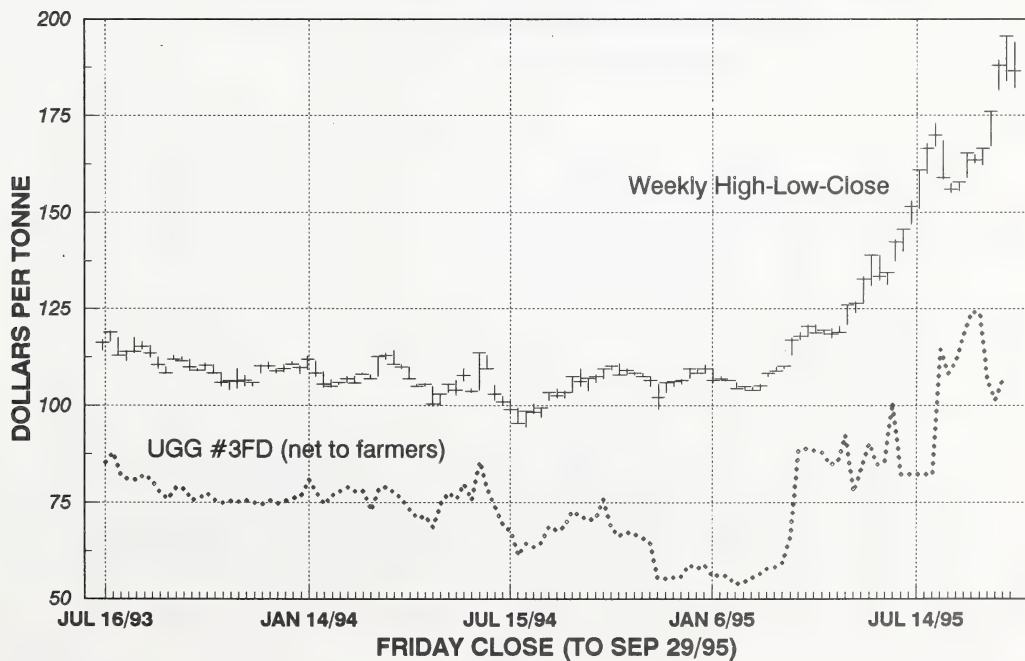
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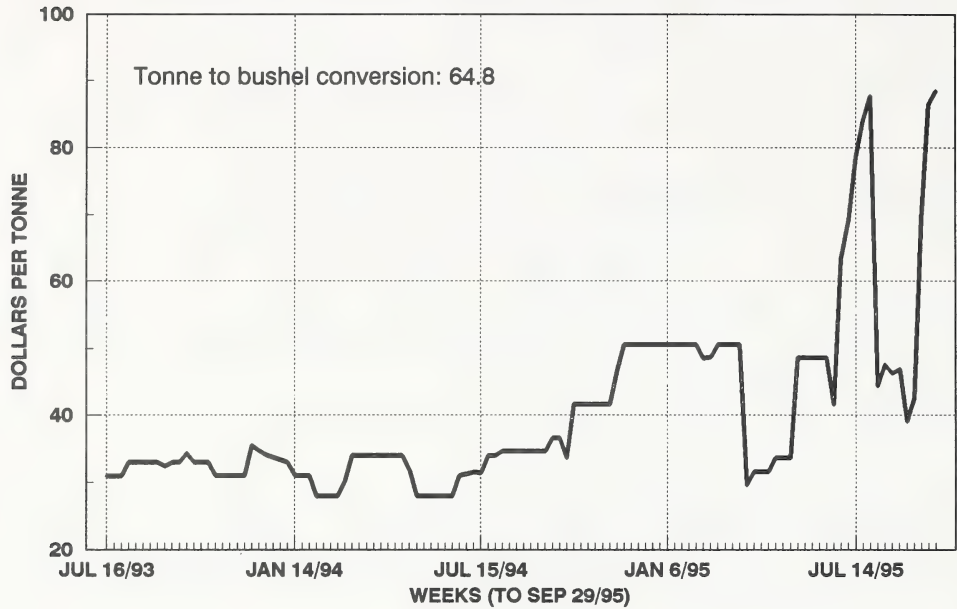
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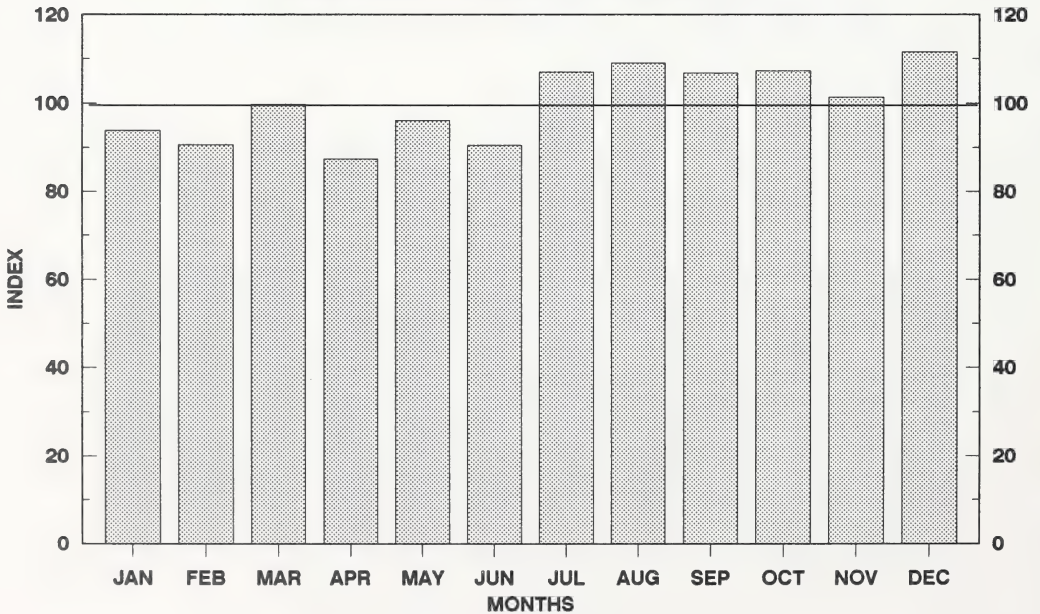
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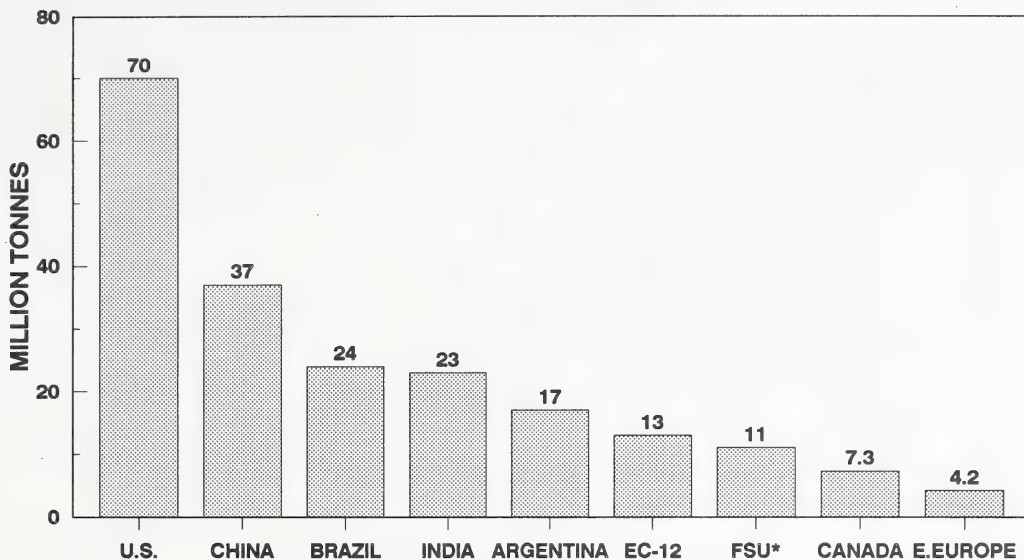
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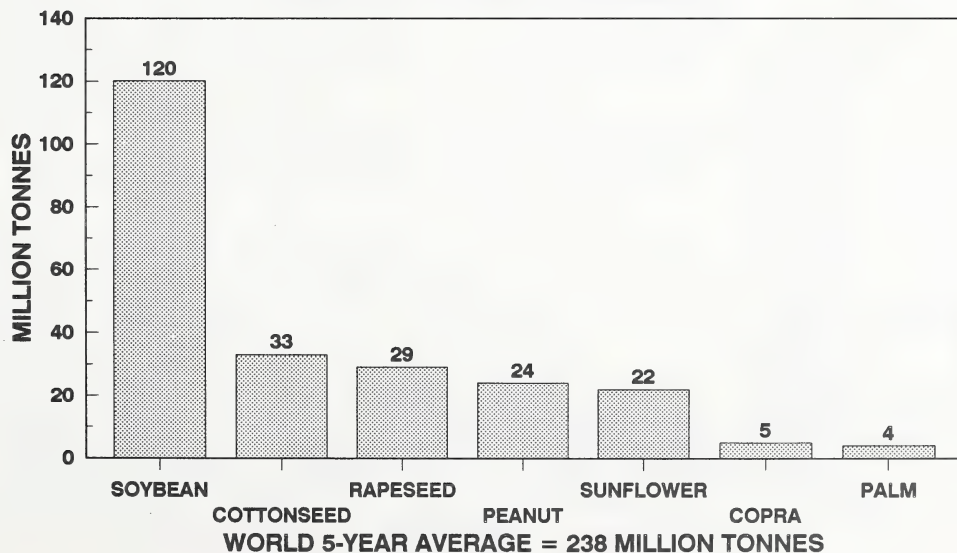


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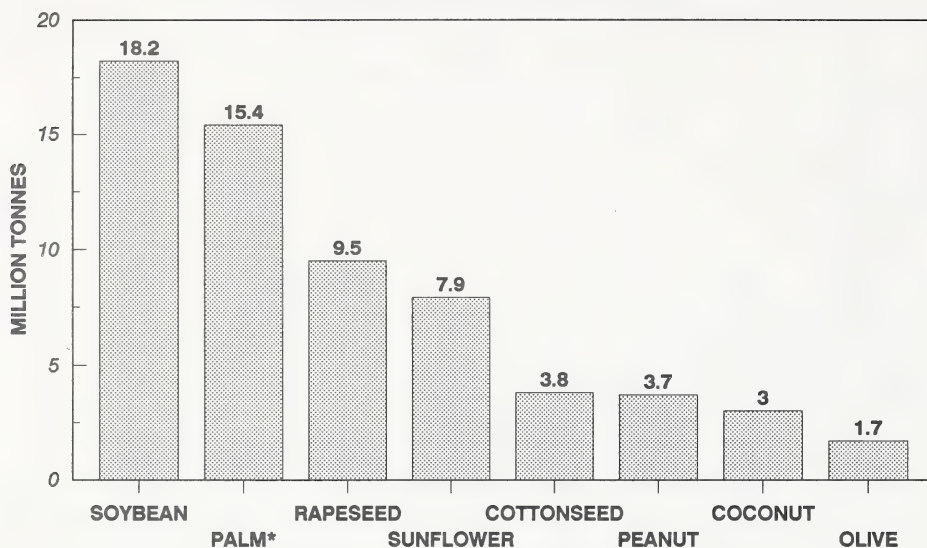


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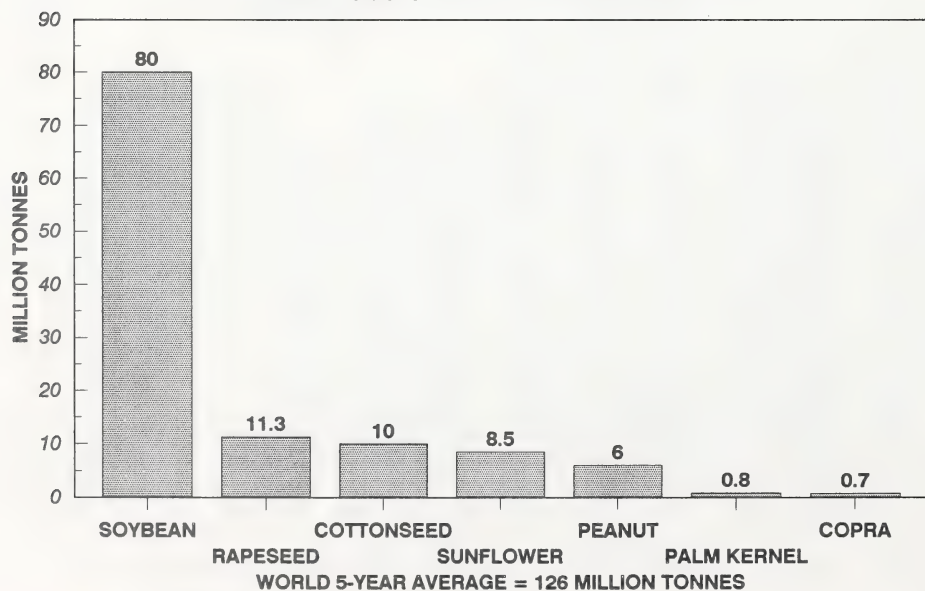


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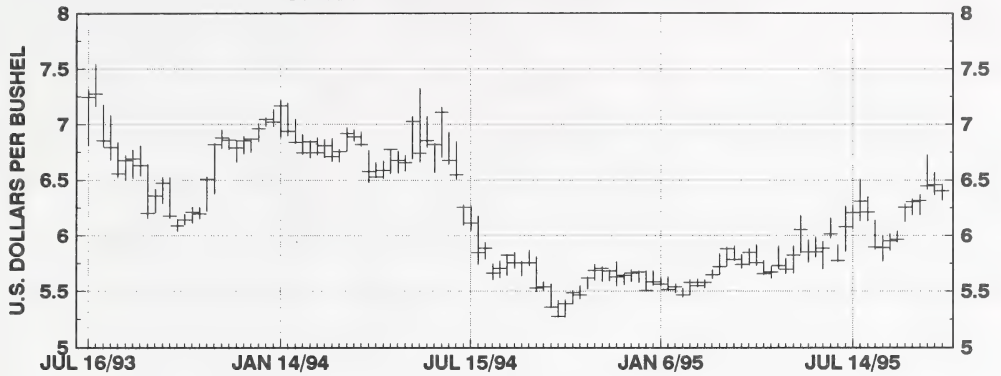


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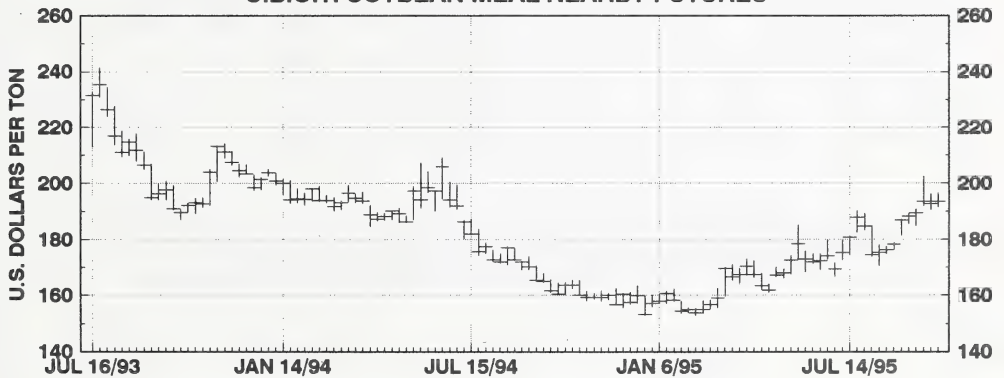
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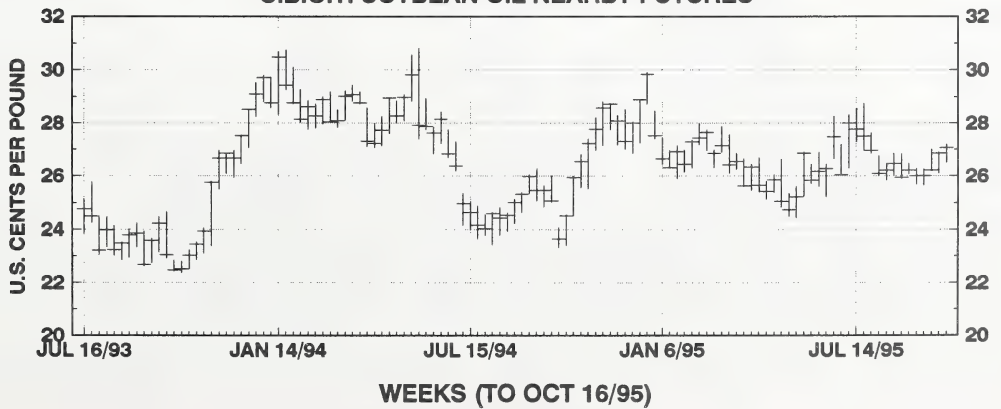
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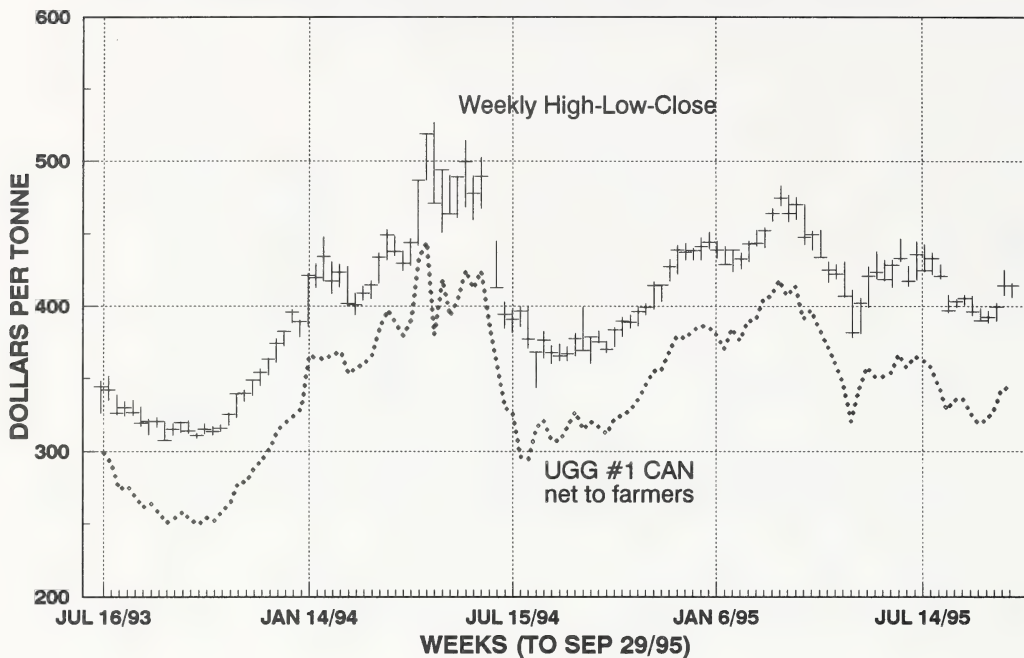
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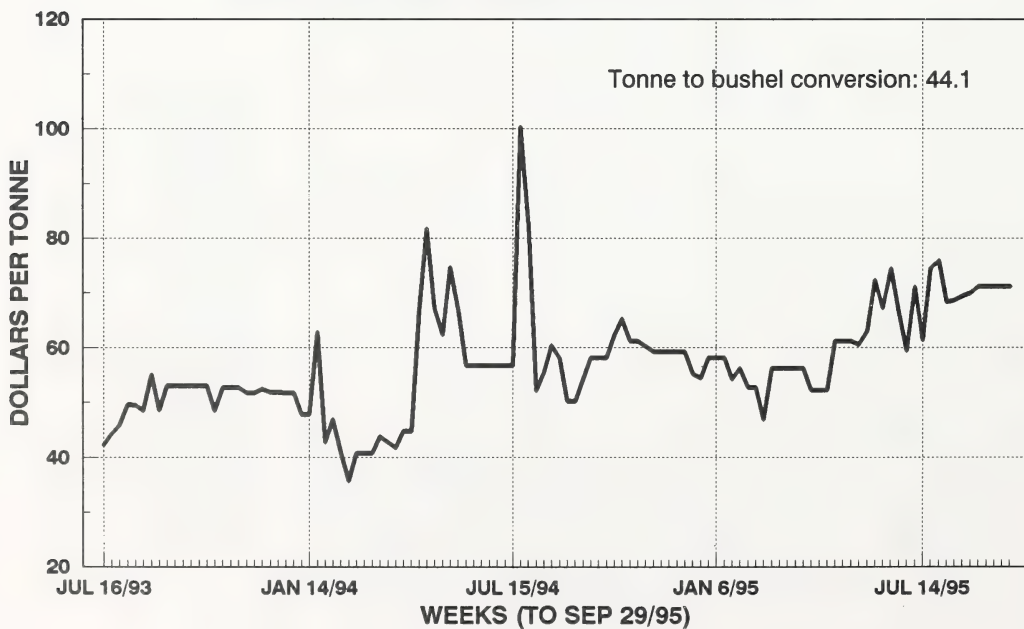
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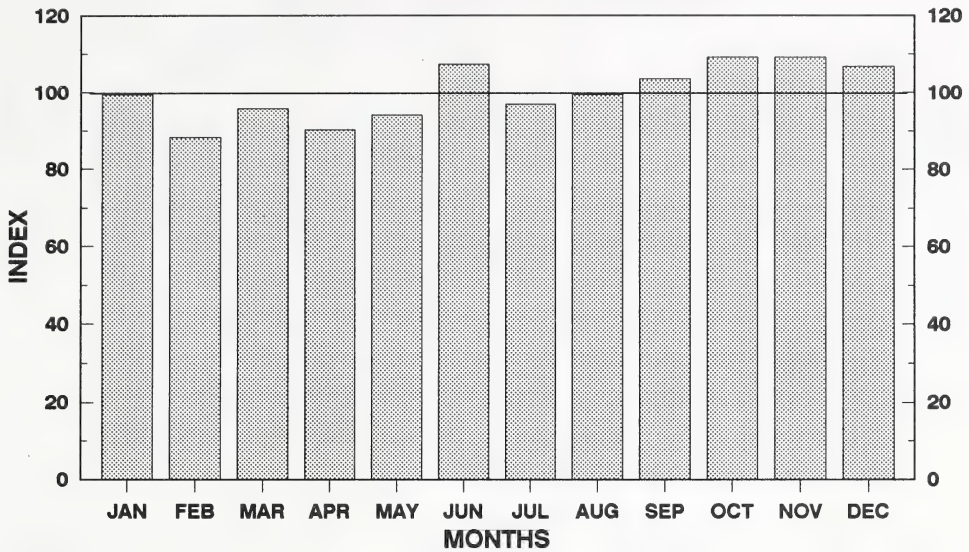
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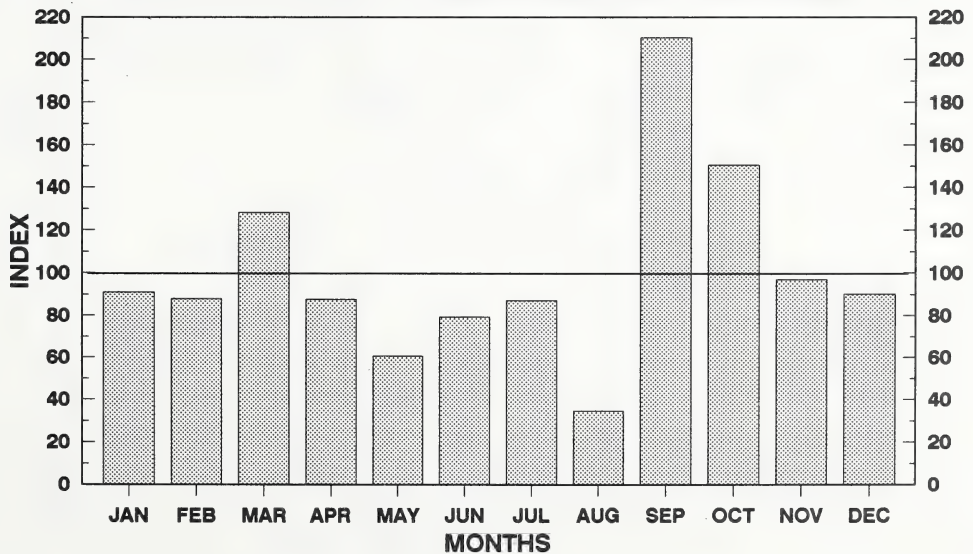
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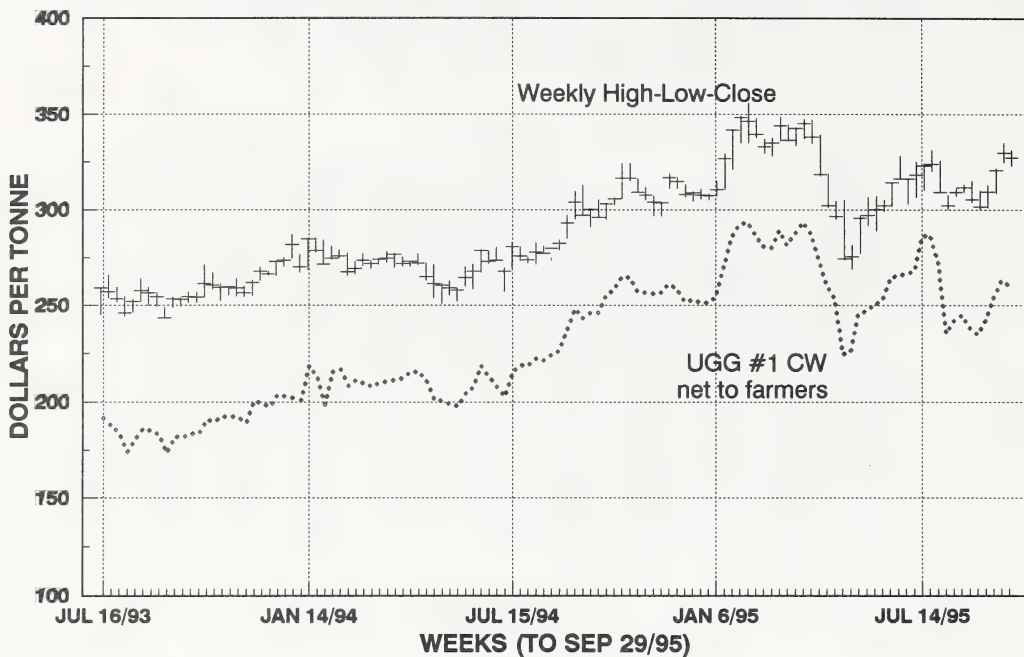
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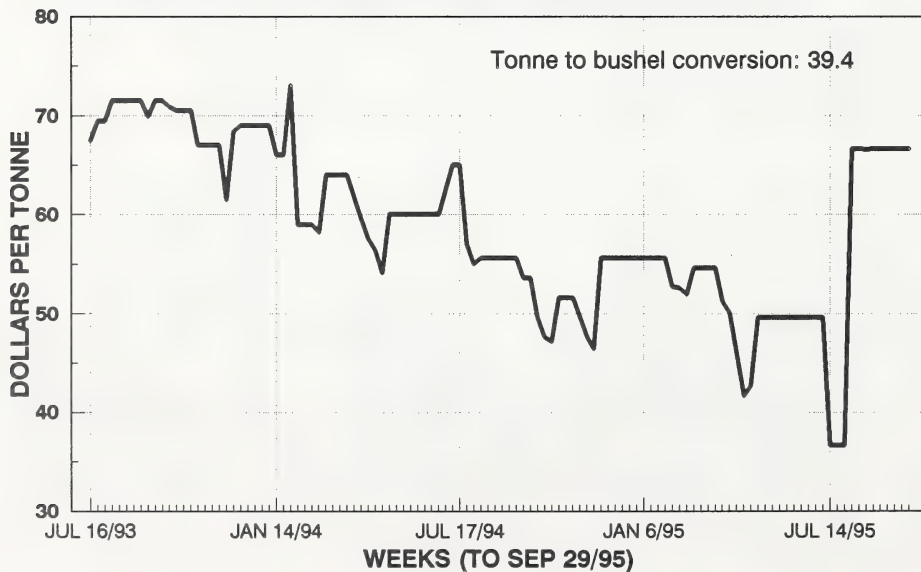
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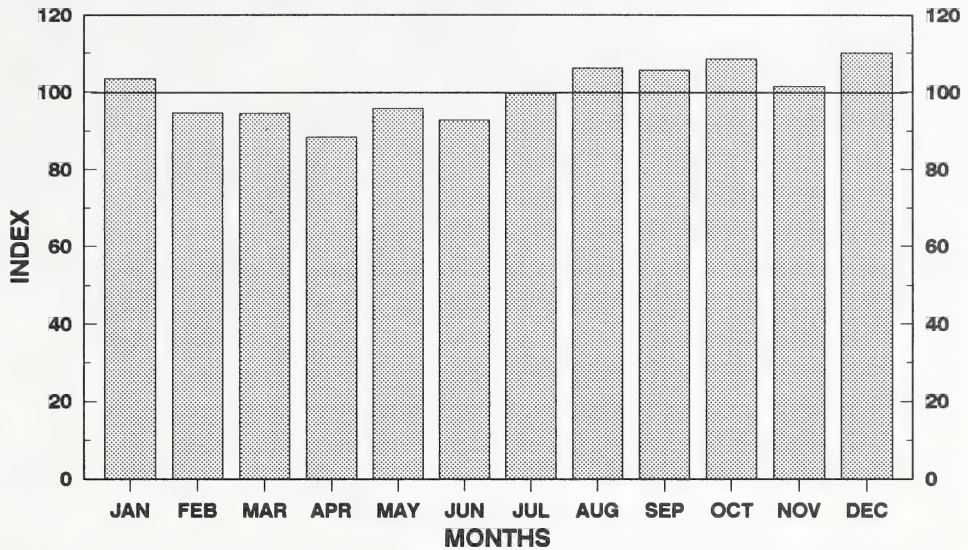
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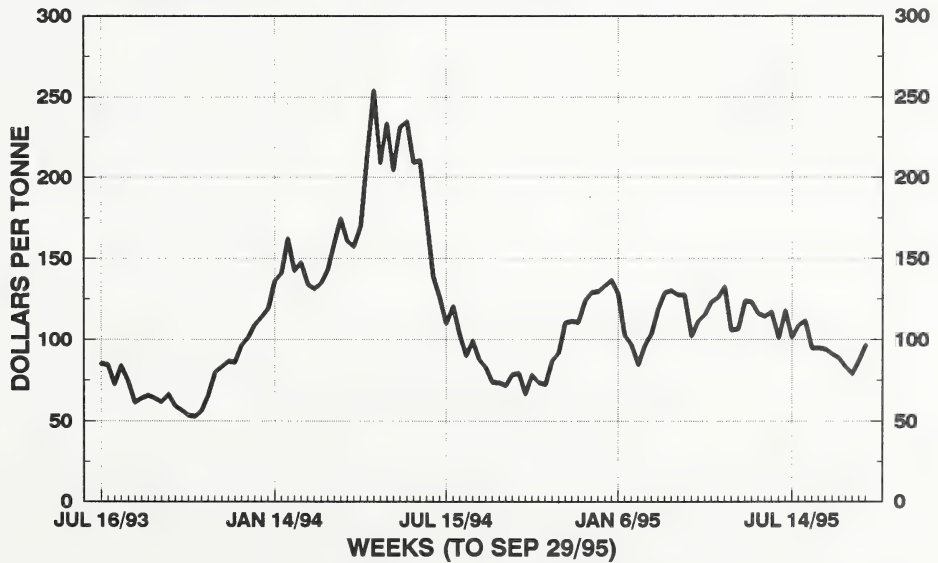
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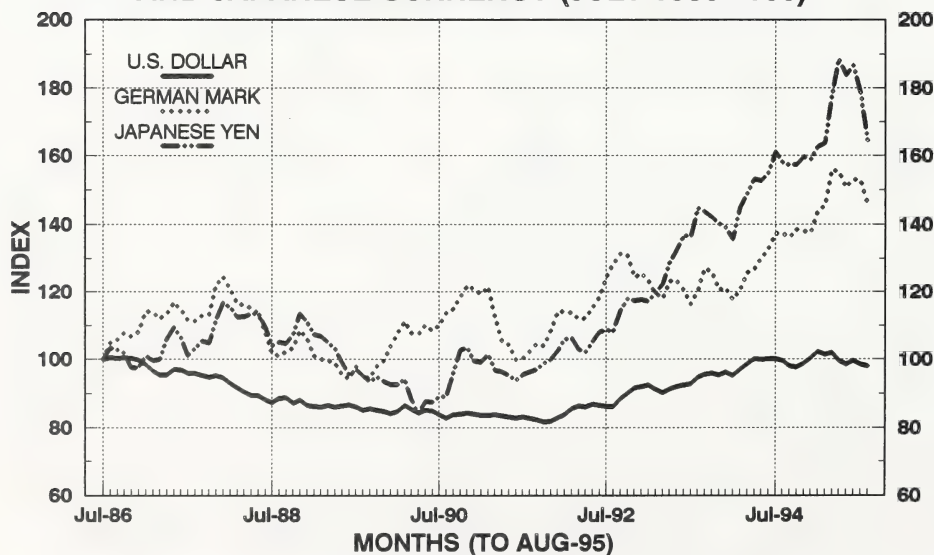
WCE CANOLA-FLAX NEARBY FUTURES CONTRACT SPREAD



VALUE OF THE CANADIAN DOLLAR IN U.S. FUNDS



CANADIAN DOLLAR RELATIVE TO THE U.S., GERMAN AND JAPANESE CURRENCY (JULY 1986=100)



In July 86, rates are CDN\$1.3805=U.S.\$1; CDN\$.6419=1 D.M.; CDN\$.87=1,000 Yen

In Aug 95, rates are CDN\$1.3549=U.S.\$1; CDN\$.9369=1 D.M.; CDN\$1.43=1,000 Yen

CANADIAN PRIME INTEREST RATE

